

It's News Here!

Black Bear Inn, Lovells Home Destroyed by Morning Blazes

The Black Bear Inn, in Beaver Creek Township, and the John Chamberlain residence, in Lovells Township, were destroyed last week by fires.

The Black Bear Inn was gutted by a blaze reported at 5:22 a.m. Thursday. The new Beaver Creek Fire Dept. arrived on the scene first and were assisted by the Grayling Fire Dept. and Weyerhaeuser Corp., who supplied extra air packs for firefighters. The cause and damages have yet to be determined.

The Chamberlain residence fire was reported at 10:35 a.m. Sunday, and the Lovells Fire Dept. fought the fire at the house located off Thunder Mug Road. The house was reported as a total loss and a defective wood stove was listed as the cause for the blaze.

In other police news, Crawford County Sheriff deputies cleared up several B & E's that occurred in 1981 and 1982 by recovering a truckload of stolen goods from a Grayling Township residence Thursday, March 10. A Grayling man was charged in connection with the stolen property and he is expected to be arraigned this week in District Court.

Firewood Permits To Cost \$10

Firewood permits issued by the DNR for state lands will cost \$10 this year. The permit will allow the holder to cut five standard cords of hardwood from April 1 to Dec. 1. A standard cord - an eight-foot long, four-foot high stack of four-foot long wood - is generally twice as much as a "face cord, which is usually an eight-foot long, four-foot high stack of wood only 16 to 24 inches long.

In the past firewood permits have been free but skyrocketing demand prompted the change. The DNR hopes fees for permits will help buy more protection against unlawful cutting of live trees and other illegal cutting on state land. Permits for residents wishing to cut pine will still be free.

No Cost for Compactor Tickets After July 1

Grayling Township residents will have free dumping at the compactor after July 1.

Grayling Township Supervisor Bernie Fowler said the township board unanimously voted last Tuesday to provide free compactor service beginning July 1. Tickets for several dumpings currently cost \$1.

Starting in July, residents will receive an annual ticket. Fowler said the township will not lose a lot of money providing the free service and will save some office costs by giving out annual tickets.

Cheese Cheese Cheese!

Crawford County Commission on Aging will be giving out 5 lb. bricks of cheese to all low income families and low income elderly persons in Crawford County, one package per household.

The distribution days will be March 23rd from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m., and if there is any left, again on the 24th from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m., at AuSable Acres, 308 Lawndale in Grayling.

Please bring proof of income, A.D.C. or food stamp certification, or your last unemployment check stub.

The cheese is government surplus and should help to provide some good meals for 660 families in Crawford County this month. If you qualify, be sure and come!

Blood Bank at Legion Hall Wednesday Mar. 16th

A Chance To Fly Yours!

Hanson Park To Sponsor Kite Flying Day

On Saturday, March 26, Hanson Park will sponsor what is hoped will turn into an annual event, a kite flying day.

This event is not designed as a money maker for the park which, do to the past slim ski season is facing financial problems, but rather is a chance for families to get into the out of doors and have a good time.

Prizes will be awarded in various categories and if successful, the event should be something to witness. One objective of the project is just to see how many kites can be put into the air at the same time at one location.

Range Firing Conducted

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling during the period 15-19 and 22-23 Mar 83.

Firing will be in the following area on the dates and times as indicated.

The Range 40 complex located north of County Road 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Road 618 and west of County Road F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will begin at 9:00 (Daily) on 15 Mar and close at 5:00 p.m. (Daily) on 23 Mar.

The range will be closed to the public during this period and all persons are warned to keep out of the area identified.

Our Weather

(Courtesy of Chuck Flick)



Mar	Hi	Lo	Other
8	49	34	Showers
9	35	28	Snow
10	28	22	Sunny
11	34	14	Cloudy
12	44	17	Sunny
13	51	18	Sunny
14	36	32	Cloudy

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FOULED—Wayne Ross is hit from his left side as he leaps high toward the bucket to put in a fast break lay-up. Ross was up around the rim a lot in district final action Saturday against Houghton Lake as he blocked five shots, hauled in 15 rebounds, and scored 16 points.

(See Vikings on Page 20)

Frederic Sixth Graders To Attend Middle School To Avoid Split Classes

A small class of Frederic sixth graders will attend the Grayling Middle School next school year to avoid split classes at Frederic Elementary School.

The school board recommended sending the students to the middle school at their regular meeting Monday night. It will be the first time since the Frederic Elementary School was built in the early 70's that Frederic sixth graders will attend the Grayling Middle School.

The move was made because the small number of students in the class - currently there are only 15 fifth graders at Frederic - has resulted in split classes throughout their enrollment.

In other board action, a special meeting was scheduled for March 28 at 7:30 p.m. at the high school library to approve options on the middle school facility to

at Frederic Elementary. All the parents of the current fifth grade class said they preferred their children attend the middle school next year rather than have another year of split classes at Frederic.

Split classes are classrooms with students from two different grades.

The board motion to send Frederic sixth graders to the middle school only applies to next year's class. After the next school year, the move will be evaluated.

present to the community. The special middle school committee of Bill Kraus, Don Denton, Don Welser, Russ Hubbard, Leona Morse, Bernadine Dosch, Fred Allen, Russell Phillips, Ruth Gruitch, Georgia Moore, and Randy Thompson will present their findings at the meeting.

In other board news, an April 11 filing date for board of education candidate nominations was announced.

Terms held by Bernadine Dosch and Pauline Petrosky will be expiring this year. Both board members have not yet made announcements concerning re-election.

Budget Outlook Bleak As County Waits for Word on State Cuts

Crawford County faces a potential deficit of more than \$100,000 in its '83 budget as officials await news about state deferred payments.

The state is withholding payments totalling \$105,500 the county figured on when making its '83 budget.

The state has deferred \$65,000 in income tax payments, \$35,000 in non-inventory personal property tax re-imbursements, and plans to cut \$5,500 from the sheriff's department secondary road patrol.

Add unexpected expenses of \$6,700 for landfill machine repairs and an increase of \$15,000 over budgeted costs for M.E.S.C. and Blue Cross payments and the total deficit could add up to \$128,000.

County Treasurer Joe Wakeley said the county could receive some of the state deferred payments if a state income tax increase is passed. The county would be able to find out how much they would

receive soon after a tax increase is passed.

Until the state decides about the deferred payments, however, the outlook for the county is bleak, according to Crawford County Board of Commissioners Chairman Jeanette Kitchen.

"We sent a memo to all department heads in February letting them know about the possible cuts and asking them to hold the line on expenses and cut out all unnecessary spending," she said. "We can cut some costs that way and we felt it was better to do something right away rather than wait until we hear later from the state."

The county is already three months into its '83 budget and the longer the state waits, the harder it will be for the county to balance its budget if big cuts are necessary.

In 1979 the county also faced big budget problems and six county employees were laid off and eleven C.E.T.A. positions eliminated to erase an \$150,000 deficit.

New Race Group Formed To Run AuSable Marathon

AuSable Canoe Marathon supporters in Grayling and Oscoda have joined together to form AuSable River International Canoe Marathon, Incorporated, in an attempt to strengthen the already popular long distance race.

With a single non-profit organization in control of the race, Steve Southard, of Ray's Canoe Livery, feels the group will be better able to promote the race and attract more paddlers.

Southard, along with Dean Molnar, Ralph Stevens, Randy Thompson, Joyce

Kolka, Colonel Gwilt, Tom Davis, and Wayne Stockton, are on the Grayling Board of Directors for the new organization.

Southard said one of the goals for this year's longest non-stop canoe race scheduled for July 29 is to attract more out of state paddlers. The new group has mailed fliers to hundreds of Canadian racers and other out-of-state racers hoping to assemble one of the best paddling fields in North America.

The new group may also

add two new classes besides the usual professional and amateur divisions. Southard said a one-man class, kayak class, or aluminum canoe class might be included this year to draw more paddlers.

The new class of racers would leave Grayling an hour or two in front of the pros and would probably race to Mio. Paddlers dropping an hour or more behind the leaders would have to pull out to clear the river for the pros.

The new organization has See Canoe on Page 20



FAIR LOGO WINNER—Leroy Pickard, of Grayling, designed the winning logo for the first annual Crawford County Fair and won \$50 in savings bonds presented to him from Mark Furst, left, of Northern National Bank, and Jack Alef, right, from Grayling State Bank. The winning logo will be on the front cover of the county fair premium book and all entries will be on display at Glen's Market. The first county fair is scheduled for Aug. 19-21 at Hanson Hills. (Photo by Adams Photography)

2 Beers Fight for Supremacy Here as St. Pat's Day Suds

by Jon Thompson

Two beers are slugging it out in Crawford County to reign asking during St. Patrick's Day celebrations.

In survey of 27 county stores and bars to determine the best selling beer here, Millers was the front-runner with Budweiser not far behind.

Five stores and seven bars named Miller or Miller Lite their best selling beer while three stores and three bars picked Budweiser. Two stores and two bars said it was a toss-up between Millers and Bud.

Two stores named Old Milwaukee their best seller, one store named Strohs, one nominated Michelob, and another said Bud and Pabst were their best sellers.

Stores giving Millers the nod as best seller were Rochette's Party Store, on the business loop in the middle of Grayling, 7-Eleven Food Store, on the business loop in the south section of Grayling, Ole Dam Party Store, on W-72 near the M-93 intersection, Caid's Grocery, in Lovells, and Down River Grocery, on W-72 near the Manistee River.

Stores giving Budweiser the winning vote were Milltown Party Store, on Norway St. in the northwest section of Gray-



ling, Super Saver Food Warehouse, along W-72, and Country's North Branch Store, on North Down River Rd.

Cooper's Country Corners, in Frederic, and Newberry's General Store, in Frederic, said both Millers and Budweiser were their best sellers.

Glen's Market, on the business loop on the south side of Grayling, and the Function Junction, on East-72, said Old Milwaukee was selling the best because of its lower price right now.

Larry and Joan's, on East 72, said Strohs was the best year-round seller with Millers a good seller in the summer when young people visit the area.

Shady Acres, along M-93 north of Hartwick Pines, said National Guardsmen made Michelob the best year-round seller there through their summer purchases. Local residents bought Goebols and Old Milwaukee most often there.

The A & P Food Store, on the business loop in Grayling, said Budweiser and Pabst were their best sellers.

Millers, especially Millers Lite, was a big winner among area bars. The Holiday Inn, on the business loop south of See Suds on Page 20



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Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM
THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

23 Years Ago March 17, 1960

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McClain are pleased to announce the arrival of a daughter, Tamra Ellen, on March 11th. Mr. and Mrs. F.J. McClain of Grayling and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Vincent of Bradenton, Fla., are Tamra's grandparents.

The Underground Forest All-Stars, Frederick's independent basketball team, closed out their season of play last weekend settled for the very fine season record of 24 wins in 28 games. Last year they established a top record of 29 victories in 30 games.

Mitchell Millikin, son of the Ralph Millikins, was five years old March 9th. Twelve of his playmates were invited over for the afternoon to play, and later to have cupcakes and ice cream and Easter candies.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jansen and family were in Saginaw over the weekend, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Horn. They brought home their son Curt who spent last week with the Horns, accompanying them home after their visit here.

Dr. and Mrs. B.E. Henig and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stillwagon returned home Sunday after a week of skiing in Vermont. They spent most of the time at Stowe, but also tried out Sugar Bush, and stopped at Lake Placid, N.Y., to give Whiteface Mountain a try on the way home, but found ice instead of snow, so gave it up.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hawley spent Sunday in Vanderbilt with the Lud Moores.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Ellison and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Welsh enjoyed some skiing at Mt. Frederick last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Joseph and children, Billy, Marilyn and Dickie visited Mrs. Joseph's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Huntington, at Eaton Rapids, Sunday before last.

Miss Phyllis Hunter entertained eight of her girl friends on March 3rd in celebration of her fourteenth birthday. The girls went to her home after school, where they enjoyed dinner, following which they attended the basketball tournament. Phyllis received many nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Soderberg of Escanaba arrived last Thursday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Bruce Smith and family. Mr. Soderberg returned home Friday, his wife remaining here until Monday, when she and Mrs. Smith drove to Detroit to spend a few days visiting relatives.

46 Years Ago March 18, 1937

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams Tuesday, March 16th.

Having a fine "sugar snow" today. This will be welcome for those making maple sugar.

William Jensen and family of South Branch, and Mrs. Lawrence Hunter and daughter Jacquelyn Sue drove to Milford Friday visiting the Peter and Julius Jensen families. Later they went to Pontiac where Mrs. Hunter and baby expect to remain, Mr. Hunter being employed there.

Dr. J.F. Cook, Clyde Borchers, Arthur May, Tony Green, Kenneth Gothro and Austin Means went to Saginaw Thursday night to see

the New York Celtics play.

Mrs. Wilfred Laurant didn't think that she could be surprised two years in succession, but on the occasion of her birthday Tuesday, several of her lady friends again proceeded to celebrate the event. There was a six o'clock dinner arranged at her home with the table prettily decorated, centered with a pink crystal bowl filled with sweet peas and guarded by silver candles in pink holders. There were ten present and a lovely gift was left in remembrance of the occasion.

Several friends of Kenneth Hoesli have received cards from him from Cuba where he and his friend Robert Wood of Gladwin are on a pleasure trip.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hilton are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a daughter, Monday, March 15, weighing 10½ lbs. The young lady will be known as Nancy Ruth.

Roy Fraser is the owner of a Master DeLuxe town sedan; Walter Shaw a DeLuxe coupe, and Earl Mathewson a DeLuxe sport sedan, all purchased from Hanson Chevrolet Sales.

Clare Rood, one of the Rood triplets, and Miss Nettie Anscomb were united in marriage Saturday evening.

69 Years Ago March 19, 1914

Danebod Hall was well filled with friends of the Rev. Kjolhede on Monday evening in honor of that gentleman's seventieth birthday anniversary.

Miss Donna Newel is to have a music recital at the home of Mrs. C. Bingham Saturday evening.

Miss Emma Sherman of Maple Forest will leave Friday for Big Rapids, where she will attend Ferris Institute.

The teachers of the Deward schools took their pupils over to the Ward farm near Frederic, Saturday, to spend the day. The youngsters had an enjoyable day.

A.M. Lewis has purchased the interest of his associates in the A.M. Lewis & Co's. drug store and now is sole owner of the local store.

Miss Mabel Brazee has resumed her work at the Emil Kraus store after an absence of several weeks.

A large gathering of married folks met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Burton on Monday evening and proceeded to the home of Mr. and Mrs. A.B. Failing to help celebrate the forty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Collins Wight, better known by the familiar names of Aunt Beck and Uncle Col. It was a complete surprise to the old couple.

William Green had the misfortune to break his arm on Monday morning of this week. He was walking along on a box car just as the freight on which he was braking, was pulling out of Gaylord, and tripped on a wire, which almost threw him off, but he jumped, landing on his arm.

The ladies of the Danish Sisterhood enjoyed a sleighride to the home of Mrs. Andrew Mortenson in Beaver Creek Wednesday. Everyone had a fine time and the ladies presented Mrs. Mortenson with a hand-painted cream set.

The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

A CHRISTIAN VIEW OF WAR

The history of man on earth is a history of war. From the day Cain killed Abel there have been an estimated 14,000 wars. The prospect of lasting peace apart from the return of Jesus Christ is impossible. Of more than 8,000 peace treaties established between European nations during the past 400 years, the average length of the treaties was 2 years. In fact, Jesus assured us that "wars and rumors of wars" would characterize the last days before His return. (Matthew 24:6, Mark 13:7, Luke 21:9, 21:24.) Therefore, future wars are certain.

The current drive by organized religion to curb American nuclear arms in the name of ethics and morality is contrary to Christian history and the Bible. Saint Augustine clearly defined the Bible concept of just wars for both Catholics and Protestants back in the 4th century. Current Catholic bishops and liberal Protestant leaders in America are today rejecting the traditional Bible view of war.

God is identified with just war throughout the Bible. The Old Testament Jehovah is called "the Lord of Hosts" or armies over 200 times in the Bible. "The Lord is a man of war: the Lord is his name. Pharaoh's chariots and his host hath he cast into the sea..." Exodus 15:3, 4a. God helped the sons of Reuben, the Gadites, and the half tribe of Manasseh in war: "...for they cried to

God in the battle, and he was intreated of them; because they put their trust in him...For there fell down many slain, because the war was of God..." I Chronicles 5:20b, 22a. God gave King Saul an order to go to war against Amalek in I Samuel 15:2, 3. King David was a man after God's own heart who was a man of war from his youth. Hear David's testimony: "Blessed be the Lord my strength, which teacheth my hands to war, and my fingers to fight." Psalm 144:1 Civil defense from enemy aggression has always been a Godly virtue.

History has proven that strength has been the only effective deterrent to war. The wealth of America is the envy of the World. The destruction of America's capitalistic system is a stated goal of Russia. Russia's history of respect for peace treaties and the national rights of others should be sufficient for us to beware of her.

Our national theology of war is best described by our forefathers in the 4th verse of our national anthem: "Oh, thus be it ever when freemen shall stand between their loved homes and the war's desolation; Blest with victory and peace, may the Heaven-rescued land Praise the Power that hath made and preserved us a nation! Then conquer we must, when our cause it is just; And this be our motto: 'In God is our trust!' And the star-spangled banner in triumph shall wave O'er the land of the free, and the home of the brave." (adv.)

Pastor Barnett

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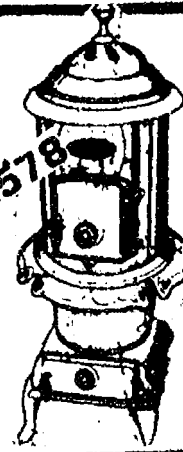
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Sunday afternoon...and all we can think of is being in Las Vegas Tuesday afternoon...we talked to Dane today and he told us that the weather is starting to get beautiful out there, such as the high 70's and low 80's in the daytime and in the 60's at night...even though we are having some real unseasonal weather for March, or is it April, looking at the bare ground and seeing people out raking their lawns it is hard to believe this is still March...it is going to be nice to get away for a little R & R, maybe the hot dry weather in Nevada will help these old creaky bones of ours...

With the weather we are having, one thing is for sure...the local golfers who have to stay in the north country in the winter time and are not able to play much golf if any, this year is different...local die hards have been on the links during the Christmas break and for the past few weekends ye ol golf course has almost resembled a weekend in the summertime...nothing like getting a head start, and to think plans are not to open the course for real play until the 15th of April...we were talking to Tom St. Germain the other day and he said he and Dr. Paul, Carl Hector, Eldee, to name a few had put their ping pong paddles away and had gotten out the sticks...this weekend group of golfers play ping pong Sunday mornings in the winter just to keep in shape, we're told...

A few more Thoughts for Today... "An optimist is one who makes the best of it when he gets the worst of it", "He who is wrapped up in himself makes a small package." "Parents who are afraid to put their foot down have children who step on their toes." "The man who never makes mistakes loses a great many chances to learn something."

We're having a heck of a time coming up with something more to help fill this turkey today...we have to do it today as we are leaving for Traverse City right after lunch Monday...we have to get up before the chickens Tuesday morning in order to catch our flight at 7:25...usually we get about half our column done Sunday and put the finishing touches on it Monday...that way if anything earth shaking comes up before Monday night we are able to get it down without sweating about what to write about...maybe these next three weeks with a reprieve will help...

Last year John Sojka gave us the business about not having anything in our column while we were on vacation...he said the big time columnists in the city write two or three for when they are gone...our problem is that we are not, and do not pretend to be a big time columnist...this effort of ours at times is down right exasperating to say the least...and when there are other times it is fun...come to think about it...we haven't seen R. J. in quite awhile...now there is a person that has given us things to write about that were fun...

Our bride just came to pick us up so we will call it quits for this week...got to go home and help put the finishing touches on the packing...goodnight T.J., Stefany and Amber and to all our readers, have a nice weekend...

from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

March 17, 1910—Camp Fire Girls founded by Luther Halsey Gulick, Charlotte Gulick and others.

March 18, 1951—Clipper ship Surprise establishes new record between New York City and San Francisco, rounding Cape Horn in 96 days and 15 hours.

March 19, 1831—First bank robbery in United States occurred in New York City.

March 20, 1852—Harriet Beecher Stowe publishes Uncle Tom's Cabin, the book that excited Northern hostility toward slavery.

March 21, 1965—Civil rights march from Selma to Montgomery in Alabama begins.

March 22, 1978—Four thousand UN troops moved into South Lebanon.

March 23, 1942—World War II relocation of Japanese-Americans away from west coast begins.



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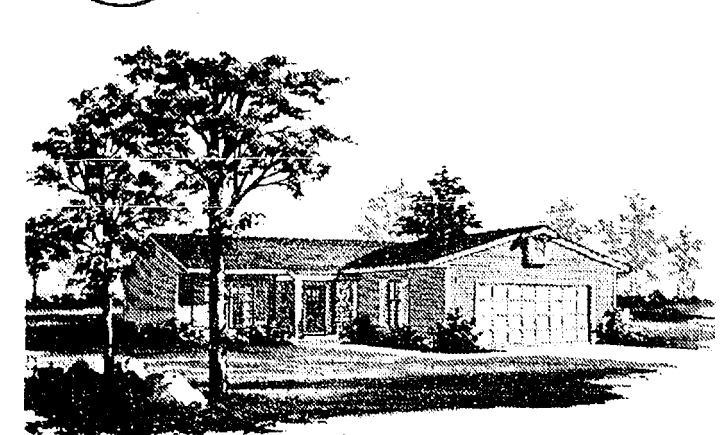
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East Lansing—A Gaylord resident was a member of the Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service lay-leader delegation sent to Maryland, March 13-15, to discuss education trends.

Al Quaal, 513 North Ohio, was one of six people selected from Michigan to join lay leaders from across the nation for the conference that outlined goals of Extension's education programs for the coming year. The conference was held at the National 4-H Center in Chevy Chase.

As a lay leader for the next year, Quaal will serve in an advisory capacity to MSU Extension administration and Michigan government officials for the improvement of Extension programming in agriculture, natural resources, 4-H Youth Programs and family living education.

Quaal is one of three co-managers of AJD Forest Products, specializing in woodlands management, forest products and marketing.

Hospital News

The following were among those admitted to Mercy Hospital during the past week: Doris Gildner of Grayling; Cecelia Davis and Harland Lepper, both of Frederic; Laura Mead, Marvin Silk, and Edward Dubey all of Roscommon.

Those discharged were: Bernice Madsen, Marvin Miller, Mildred Hoobler, and Thelma Melotting all of Grayling; Cecelia Davis of Frederic; Montie Milton, James Keeler, and Laura Mead and baby all of Roscommon.

Carleton and Laura Mead, of Roscommon gave birth to a baby girl, Jamie Alison, born March 6, 1983.

Mark and Johanna Jurkovich, of Grayling, announce the birth of a baby boy, Anthony Michael, born March 7, 1983, weighing 6 lbs. 12 1/2 ozs.

Dale and Rita Kirchner, of Grayling are the proud parents of a baby boy, Harold Cody, born March 7, 1983, weighing 9 lbs. 5 ozs.

Lovells News

by Ruth Caid
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cadeau and daughters visited friends and relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. Margie Harwood and daughter Paula and Mrs. Ruth Caid spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Paquette and family in Mt. Clemens. On Sunday they visited Eddie Harwood and family in Midland.

The Cheerful Givers Club will meet at the clubroom on Thursday evening at 7:30 - Potluck.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burden and Mrs. Claudia Jones visited friends and relatives in Detroit.

Senior Citizen Day is Friday, March 18th at the Town Hall, starting at 11:30 - dinner at Noon. If you plan to attend please call 348-9314 or 348-9495. Come have your blood pressure checked.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kurk hosted the party Saturday evening. Prizes were won by Elsie Kearney, Reita Pope, Elinor Wikoff, Tom Morris, Ray McClanahan, and Paul Pope. Margie Harwood and Ruth Caid will host the party this week.

Mrs. Gerry Coulter returned home after being a patient at Otsego Memorial Hospital. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Vicki Davio visited friends and relatives in Detroit.

Several members of the Lovells Home Extension Group enjoyed a tour of a Grayling radio station on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain had the misfortune of having their home completely destroyed on Thunder Mug Road on Sunday morning.

Little League Registration

The Grayling Little League will hold registration for the 1983 season on Saturday, March 12, 19 & 26. All boys and girls who plan to play Little League baseball this year in Minor, Major or Senior Division must register on one of these days even if they have played on a team before.

Registration will be held each Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in Council Chambers at Grayling City Hall. New players must be at least 8 years old before August 1st. To register all boys and girls must have their birth certificates with them and be accompanied by a parent.

A \$6.00 participation fee per person will also be collected at the time of registration. These 3 Saturday's will be the only chance to register this season, if you plan to play baseball this summer make sure to attend one of the days. For more information contact Ernest Balch at 348-7564 or Larry Akers at 348-8875.

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A KANGAROO SKIN—Joey Anteau's Uncle Dave got a kangaroo skin on a round the world trip. He took a ship called the Enterprise. He got the skin in Australia. It's a small male. The skin is 15 years old but it was about 7 months old when it was killed. We don't know if he got it or if somebody else got it. When the kangaroo is born it is as big as a lima bean. It has to climb up the mother to its mother's pouch. If it falls on its way up the mother will just let it lay and die. Joey's skin's tail is about 2 feet 5 inches wide. The whole skin is about 3 feet 6 inches long. After Joey's uncle's trip he said it was an exciting adventure for him. By Brian Palmer and Chris Millikin, 5th grade.

NFL Opens Season Sept. 11

Grayling, the newest member of the Northern Football League, will open its season Sept. 11 against Cheboygan.

The Grayling Raiders, a 35-member squad of sixth, seventh, and eighth graders, will be coached by Mike Shearer. The Raiders will play six games this fall and one weekend will host all three games in the seven-team league.

Grayling will enter the southern division of the NFL with Atlanta, Onaway, and Rogers City. The northern division is made up of St. Ignace, Cheboygan, and Pellston.

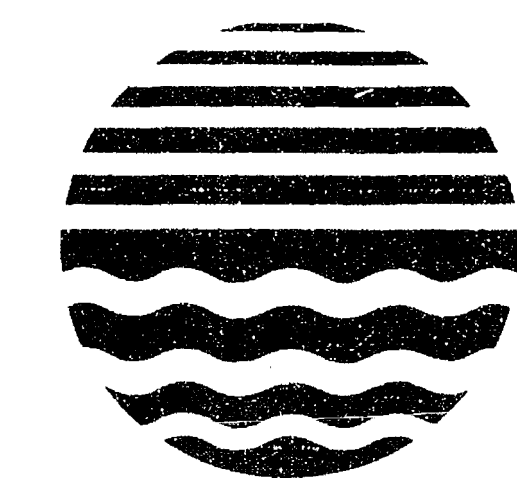
Middle School News

The special education classes at the middle school have begun planning a trip to Cedar Point. Students have been writing letters to motels in Sandusky. We have written to several local support groups asking for financial help. We plan to sell candy and popcorn, have bake sales and a dance to help raise money.

We are collecting Glen's tapes and have asked fellow students to bring their Glen's tapes in.

LL Coaches Meeting

All persons interested in coaching Little League baseball should attend a meeting Sunday, March 20, at 6 p.m. at Mike Shearer's house at 804 Park in Grayling.



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This will be held at the Parish Family Center located just behind St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Come and join us and see the latest fashions. Tickets can be purchased at Mac's Drug Store or at Weaver's Gifts, Grayling downtown.



ARCHERY LEAGUE WINTER LEAGUE AWARDS—The Grayling Archery Club winter League Awards banquet was held on March 5, 1983, at Hanson Hills. Shown above are Winter League Team Winners. From left to right, (First Place), Jerry Stevens, Mike Ruegsegger, (Second Place), Jim Dannenberg, Don Denton, and (Third Place), Bob McCurdy, Bill Rutter, Spring League Pre-shooting started 3-9-83.

Bits O'Talk

by Fay Bovee

John and Becky Sorenson of Three Rivers are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter, Kimberly Ann, born February 23, 1983. Grandparents are Ed and Marge Sorenson of Grayling and the late Blanche Swinkey.

Frederic News

By Eva Hulbert

Every Thursday at the Senior Citizen Center, Blood Pressure at 12:30.

Every Friday, Pinochle Party at 1:30, bring another couple and you have your table of four.

Also every Wednesday in the afternoon Bingo at 12:30. This is the one that used to be in the evening.

Thursday at 5 p.m. dinner, Irish Shenanigan, please call in.

Happy Birthday to Roy Newberry, March 21st. And congratulations to Charles and Thelma Rivers on their 40th Anniversary, March 20th.

The community wishes to extend their sympathy to the family of Doree Worthey, mother of Margaret Rogalle and grandmother of Derek McEvers.

My apologies to grandson of Vi Middleton, it should have been Melvin Middleton, Joey is her other grandson of Jim and Sandy Colleen.

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ZIONIC CONCEPT: Participation with God in the transformation of society into the Kingdom of God on Earth.

PROPHET: Living, called by revelation, accepted by the people, ordained head of a Theocratic body.

PRIESTHOOD: Called by revelation, first to jurisdictional leaders, approved through appropriate channels and then by the local congregation then by district conference. Passing these the candidate is ordained.

Pastors are elected from among ordained of a congregation. Pastors are not paid, but certain expenses are reimbursed.

LAYING ON OF HANDS by ordained authority is administered for confirmation, ordination, healing the sick, blessing children and by Patriarchs to confirm spiritual blessings.

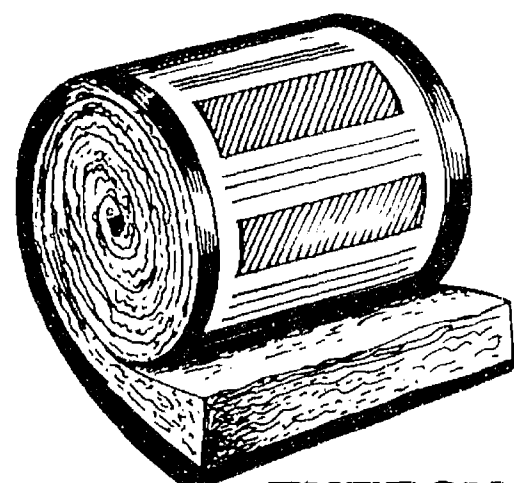
LIFE AFTER DEATH CONCEPT: Expanded revelation from the Book of Mormon, Bible, and Doctrine and Covenants that Hell is not permanent, Rev. 20:14 and Telesial, Terrestrial, Celestial orders of the heavenly state as hinted at in I Cor. 15:39-44; II Cor 12:14 and John 14:2.

PRINCIPAL OF COMMON CONSENT: We elect to ordain the prophet designate; elect to accept priesthood calls; elect pastors; open debate; Robert's rules at conferences; elect delegates to conferences of districts, regions and the world; at the bi-annual world conferences prophecy must be examined by all priesthood quorums and then subjected to floor debate before voted on. If accepted as the mind and will of God to us then we agree to live by it as the Holy Spirit enlightens each of us.

FREE AGENCY: We have no creed; no control figure; no secret ceremonies or rites; no high orders to obtain which segregate by pride or guilt; no central ownership of property (outside or world properties). Each is accountable to God and Jesus Christ as expressed in Romans 14:1-13. In closing I quote from Joseph Smith III. "There is no tribunal, this side of the great judgment bar, that has the authorized right to sit in judgment upon the faith of men and say whether or not they are heterodox or orthodox. The right is reserved for that great judge and that tribunal which shall try all mankind...This makes every man responsible to God. He has a secondary responsibility to those with whom he is associated, to observe their rights, while assuming those which he deems to belong to himself." Unity for us is not so much achieved by rigid, authoritarian edict, to which all are required to yield. Rather it is pursued through honest yet respectful and tolerant searching, in the spirit of love. (adv.)

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By Rev. Thomas A. Bruno
Minister of
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"I don't go to church because of the hypocrites!" Have those words crossed your lips? They may have been on everyone's lips at one time or another. The truth is that at one time or another we are all hypocrites. That which we say we are turns out to be something different than WHAT WE DO!

However, there may be a thin line here because, in spite of my great Christian aspirations, I am weak. In fact, my feet are of clay all the way up to my knees.

Even the best of saints have had the same problem. Take Simon Peter for instance. When Jesus mentioned his own impending death, Simon Peter said he would go anywhere with Jesus, even die with Him, to show his love and loyalty.

The facts of his behavior proved just the opposite. When confronted by the enemy, Peter said he did not even know Jesus. A hypocrite? Yes. Yet there is something in Peter which we can identify with. He had good intentions. He meant well, and he did not intentionally set out to be a hypocrite. Through human frailty, he fell. He fell not trying to be a hypocrite, but a saint. There is a difference. We have all been there at some time or another.

Jesus was aware of hypocrites and told His disciples to be cautious of them. The hypocrites were showy with their religion. In Matthew 6:5, he said to his disciples, "Do not pray like the hypocrites. They pray in the streets and in the churches openly to be seen and therefore receive the praise of men."

He told them (disciples) not to give alms in public like the hypocrites, for they do it for the praises of men. And when they receive it, that is the only reward they will have.

If you are not going to church because of the hypocrites there, let me assure you there are some in EVERY church. A hypocrite is a SMALL person. However if you are hiding behind him, you must be smaller YET! And if that is your real reason for not going, you are one of the biggest FOOLS I know. If we removed the excuse of the hypocrite, would you have enough excuse? Perhaps!!

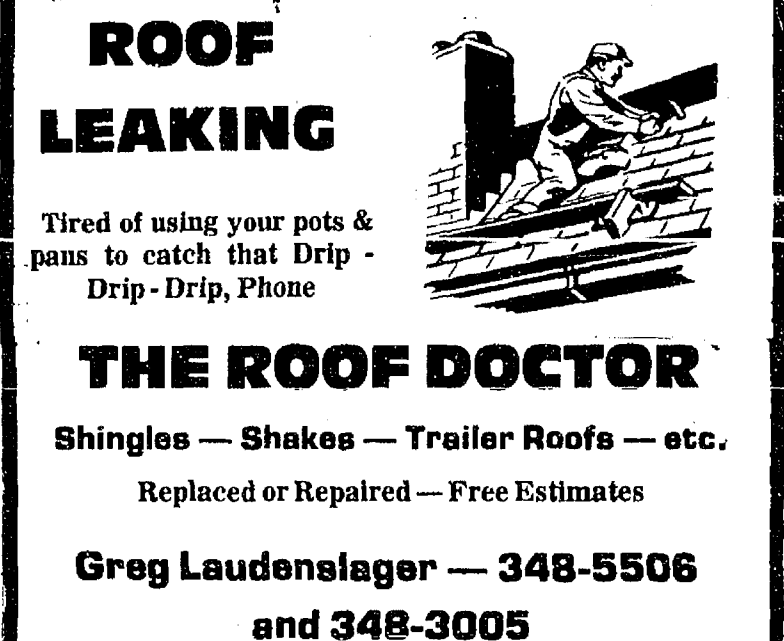
The hypocrites will always be with us until the end of time, but what about your Christian faith? Never let the hypocrites STAND between you and the Kingdom of God.

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New Policy Set For Releasing Funds To School Districts

Warren M. Hoyt, Executive Director, MPA

With the state still unable to say when it can release deferred school aid payments, officials have announced a formal policy to provide funds to districts that are facing severe financial problems.

State Treasurer Robert Bowman said even if Governor James Blanchard's tax package is passed by the first of April, the state will have to make "other deferrals down the road" in order to continue to meet its payroll.

Bowman said if the state had not already deferred about \$500 million in payments to schools, colleges and local governments, it would not have been able to meet its mid-March payroll.

The state has released over \$22 million to 55 school districts which were running short of cash to meet their February payrolls, but as of March 25, schools in similar financial distress may not receive payments from deferred funds unless they have tried unsuccessfully to borrow money on their own.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Phillip Runkel said another \$48 million will be released to 42 districts which do not have pressing cash needs.

Although he said the new policy is somewhat tougher than the old, Runkel said it probably will not make much difference in releasing state payments since the market for borrowing in Michigan is not good anyway.

Both Runkel and Bowman made a pitch for legislative approval for the governor's package of a 38 percent tax increase and \$225 million in cuts. Runkel said failure of the package would cause many of the deferrals to become cuts.

And, he said if the state's cash position remains so weak that the April payments must be deferred,

many districts would find it extremely difficult to make their payrolls.

Bowman said if deferrals are ordered in April, they would not be as large as those ordered earlier. And, he said no decision has been made as to which payments — local governments, schools or colleges — would be deferred if that route is necessary.

So far, only the city of Benton Harbor has requested release of some of its state aid and was sent \$75,000 in February.

Work Order on Zilwaukee Bridge Suspended

The back to work order issued earlier to the contractors of the damaged Zilwaukee Bridge has been suspended by the Department of Transportation while negotiations continued on deciding who has responsibility for the costs of the repairs.

The order would have required the repairs to begin immediately, but transportation officials said their goal now is for repairs to begin in April.

Transportation Director James Pitz said design work for the repair procedures would not be completed for several more weeks.

Repairs will take four to five months. During that time, no construction will take place on the north bound portion of the three-mile long bridge.

But the work will continue on the southbound portion and officials are still hoping construction could be completed on the bridge in 1984.

Meanwhile, the department has hired the firm of Howard Needles, Tamman and Bergendoff of Kansas City to act as on site consultants during repairs and final construction.



WOLVERINE ANGLERS—Two Grayling, Michigan families had a great day of fishing in Marathon, Florida. The anglers, used to catching trout from the AuSable River, proved themselves more than a match for several huge mutton snapper and kingfish. The Worden family, Betty, Kathy and Ace, stands on the left, with Ace hefting the big snapper. The Bendig family, Lois, Heidi, and Jim, are standing to the right. (Photo by Dan Armitage)

Brenda Rochette to Compete In Miss Teen Pageant

Miss Brenda Marie Rochette, age 15, daughter of Mr. Dennis J. Rochette and Carlotta R.J. Rochette of Grayling, has been selected to compete in the 1983 Michigan Miss T.E.E.N. Pageant to be held at the Kalamazoo Center Hilton Inn, Kalamazoo, Michigan on the weekend of July 1-3, 1983. This pageant is the Official Statewide Finals for the Miss T.E.E.N. National Pageant to be held at Kiva Auditorium, Albuquerque, New Mexico, December 3, 1983. Contestants are between the ages of 14 and 18 and must maintain at least a "B" average in school. They are required to contribute at least 12 hours of Volunteer Service to a non-profit organization. This program promotes awareness of the needs of others, and participation in the community. Miss T.E.E.N. is very proud of its association with the March of Dimes, through our participation and support of their programs. Throughout the Nation, 1982 Miss T.E.E.N. Contestants contributed 600,000 hours of Volunteer Service work.

Among the prizes the Winner of the 1983 Michigan Miss T.E.E.N. Pageant will receive is an all expense paid trip to compete in the National Finals, and a \$750.00 Cash Scholarship to the school of her choice. Over \$30,000 in Cash Scholarships, Awards and Prizes, including a brand new Lincoln-Mercury LN-7 Car for use during the Queen's reign will be awarded at the National Pageant in December. Contestants will be judged on Scholastic Achievement, Volunteer Service, Formal Presentation, Interview, and a choice of Speech or Talent. Miss T.E.E.N. being a scholarship Pageant, no swimsuit competition is required.

Miss Brenda Rochette is sponsored by North Michigan Land & Oil Corporation, Krumrei Beverage Inc., Holiday Inn of Grayling, Hertha Laupmanis, Innkeeper.

Her hobbies include Skiing, Dancing, Swimming & Reading.

Senior Citizens Activities

Mon., Mar. 21 — 11:30 a.m.-Lunch, 1:00 p.m.-Dancing, 5:00 p.m.-Dinner, 5:15 p.m.-Rev. Evoy.

Tues., Mar. 22 — 9:00 a.m.-Craft Dept. Opens, 10:00 a.m.-Exercise, 11:30 a.m.-Lunch, 1:30 p.m.-Bowling, 4:00 p.m.-Movie, 5:00 p.m.-Dinner.

Wed., Mar. 23 — 9:00 a.m.-Craft Dept. Opens, 10:00 a.m.-Swimming, 11:30 a.m.-Lunch, 12:30 p.m.-Bingo, 1:00 p.m.-Stag Party, 4:30 p.m.-Cardo, 5:00 p.m.-Dinner.

Thurs., Mar. 24 — 9:00 a.m.-Craft Dept. Opens, 10:00 a.m.-Bible Study, 11:30 a.m.-Lunch, 12:30 p.m.-Blood Pressure, 3:00 p.m.-Choral Group, 4:00 p.m.-Kitchen Band, 5:00 p.m.-Dinner, 5:15 p.m.-"Hug of Life", 7:15 p.m.-Travelogue.

Fri., Mar. 25 — 9:00 a.m.-Oil Painting, 12:00 Noon-Dinner, 1:30 p.m.-Pinochle Party.

For more information, please call 348-9314, or stop by the Center at 308 Lawn-dale in Grayling.

Pfc. Brian Wilson To Serve In Beirut, Lebanon

Marine Pfc. Brian A. Wilson, son of Liwyn L. and Joyce Wilson of Grayling, has departed on deployment to Beirut, Lebanon. He is a member of Marine Medium Helicopter Squadron-264, Marine Corps Air Station New River, Jacksonville, N.C.

The squadron is part of the 22nd Marine Amphibious Unit (MAU), consisting of some 1,800 Marines. The squadron is deployed aboard the USS Guadalcanal, homeported in Norfolk, Va.

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The Natural Resources Commission, at its December 3, 1982, meeting, under the authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, closed sturgeon fishing in the Great Lakes and the connecting waters during the months of May and June for the period of five years, beginning April 1, 1983, through March 31, 1988.

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Notice To Residents of Grayling Township

The Grayling Township Zoning and Planning Commission has drafted a proposed Amended Zoning Ordinance which will be submitted to the Grayling Township Board for adoption in the near future. The first public hearing on this proposed Ordinance will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, April 4, 1983 at the Grayling Township Hall. Your questions and comments are welcome. Copies of the proposed Ordinance can be obtained at the Grayling Township Hall.

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Tickets winning prizes of 1-ticket, \$2, and \$5 may be

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Journalism's Guest Speaker

Friday, February 18, Jon Thompson was a guest speaker for the journalism class. He gave the class tips on writing. He was here courtesy of the Crawford County Avalanche.

Jon Thompson is a front page reporter for the Avalanche. Mr. Thompson got started by being the editor of the high school newspaper and his college newspaper. Mr. Thompson explained how to "use your interest to find a story idea." First, you have to find a story idea, then you get the material for the story. Before you go to your beat, prepare about five questions about the story. Before you end your interview, ask the person if there is anything he or she would like to include. He also told the class that there is always news and anyone can find it.

Mr. Thompson told the class the prices some of the popular magazines pay for an article they print. He said that he had done some articles for some popular magazines. He recommended journalism and writing as a career.

John Little
8th Grade
Journalism Class

Wadsworths to Establish New Church in Grayling



Reverend Richard Wadsworth, his wife June, and their two daughters, Phyllis and Debbie, have moved into Grayling to begin a new church for the Michigan District Church of the Nazarene.

The Wadsworths have pastored four established churches before coming to Grayling. After graduating from the Nazarene Bible College in 1972, Rev. Wadsworth pastored for four years in Illinois and then

pastored in Weidman and Nashville, Michigan.

Before becoming a minister, Rev. Wadsworth was a die designer and draftsman in Elkhart, Indiana, and served in the U.S. Navy during the Vietnam War.

Mrs. Wadsworth's home town is Sturgis, Michigan, where her family still lives.

Rev. Wadsworth will begin two bible study programs, a Sunday Bible Study starting March 20 from 10:45 to 11:45 a.m. and an informal bible study on The Book of Ephesians starting March 22 from 7 to 8 p.m. Both studies will be held at 801 Michigan Ave. and everyone is invited to attend.

Editor's Mailbox

March 2, 1983

Grayling Chamber of Commerce
Grayling, Mich.

Chamber Members:

Recently on February 20, 1983 while staying at the Roost Motel a friend, Randy Derck had his snowmobiles and trailers stolen. A courteous officer Jo Ellen Bonnington made a complete report including photos of the area.

Shortly thereafter, the equipment was recovered in Oregon, Ohio, a distance of over 200 miles. As an insurance agent I was impressed by this quick recovery. Many times our local officials do not do their job as well as this officer.

I wish to commend this officer, and as a nearby property owner (Frederic) I was reassured by the department's proficiency.

Sincerely,
James A. Stahl

Attention Class of 1975

The class reunion committee is currently updating its mailing list for a 10th year reunion. Would all class members please send their present address and telephone number to Marie (Harris) Kalthoff, Rt. 4, Box 7765, Roscommon, MI 48653 or 275-4157.

If anyone should know of a class member who has moved away from the area, any information on this individual would be greatly appreciated.

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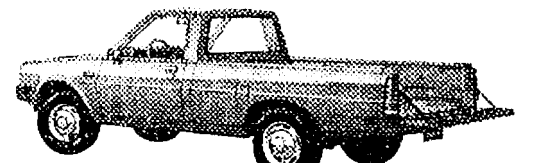
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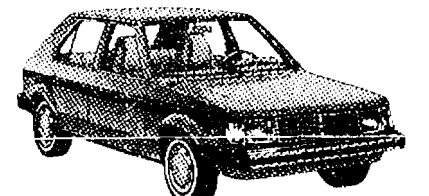
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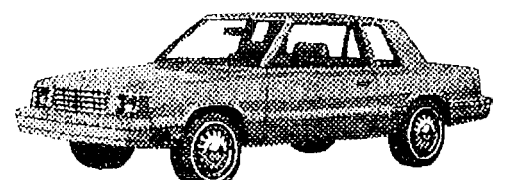
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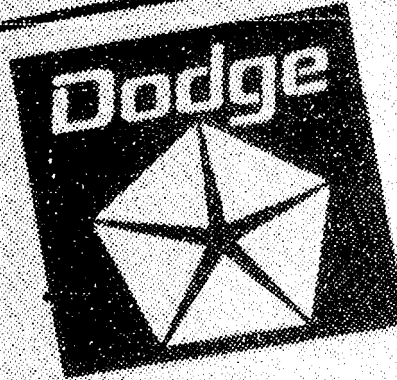


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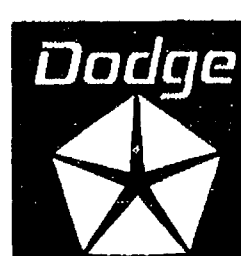
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Cheryl Lyn Hatfield and Jay Glen Hollingsworth were united in marriage Friday, January 28th in Gainesville, Florida. Rev. Don Scarlett officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father wore a gown with a Princess Anne neckline with re-embroidered alencon lace trim on the bodice and edging her cathedral length train. Small seed pearls and sequins accented the bodice and cuffs of the bouffant Victorian sleeves. She carried a bouquet of pink roses with white and pink carnations.

Cheryl is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren L. Hatfield of Gainesville, Fla. Jay's parents are Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Hollingsworth,

also of Gainesville.

Maid of Honor was JanEl Wilcox, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Sterling Grummons and Connie Pruett, also a sister of the bride. They all wore burgandy skirts with white blouses. They all carried a bouquet of pink roses.

The flower girl was Melisia Grummons who wore a burgandy dress and carried a basket of white carnations and a pink rose. Ringbearer was Doug MacKinnon Jr.

John Harper served as Best Man. Groomsmen were Gary Acree, and A.J. Wilcox. All the men wore silver-gray tuxedos.

Altar decorations consisted of pink and white carnations and tiered candelabras.

For her daughters wedding, Mrs. Hatfield wore a floor length gown of light pink, with an onset lace neckline. Her corsage was pink roses.

For the marriage of her son, Mrs. Hollingsworth wore a floor length light forest green gown, with matching cape. She wore a corsage of pink roses.

The reception was held at the First Presbyterian Church. The wedding cake was made by JanEl Wilcox. It was a three tier cake accented with pink roses.

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It seems strange indeed to look out the office window at a nearby hillside and be able to see bare ground. I hate to count on the weather continuing to be mild, but those bare spots look like a little piece of spring in the middle of winter. The ground is warm, perhaps deceptively so, but it is still a delight to walk and sit on it as the sun continues to nibble at the surrounding snow. The deer have been there, perhaps searching for wintergreen berries and the partridge too have at least sat in the tree around which this bare spot increases in area.

The grass is brown and dry, but exploring fingers reveal new shoots still hiding in the warming earth. Bracken fern covers the grass with a tangle of broken stems and fronds. It is still too early for any evidence of the new fiddleheads but as the days lengthen, they will soon push forth. Several little patches of moss are richly green and soft to the touch. The mosses are soil builders so their presence here on this sandy hillside is not unusual. An acorn with a wormhole in it rests appropriately on top of an oak leaf, its nourishing nut meat eaten by the worm in turn was perhaps eaten by a bird still winging its way north to this little piece of spring.

On Kirtland's President's List

The following area students have been named to the President's list at Kirtland Community College for the Fall, 1982, semester:

Roscommon: Greg Dillon, Eila Edwards, Edith Zimmerman.

Grayling: Frederick Christensen, Daniel Ewald, Sean Kenny, Susan McIntosh.

To be named to the President's List, a student must carry at least 12 credit hours and have a 4.0 or straight A grade point average for those hours.

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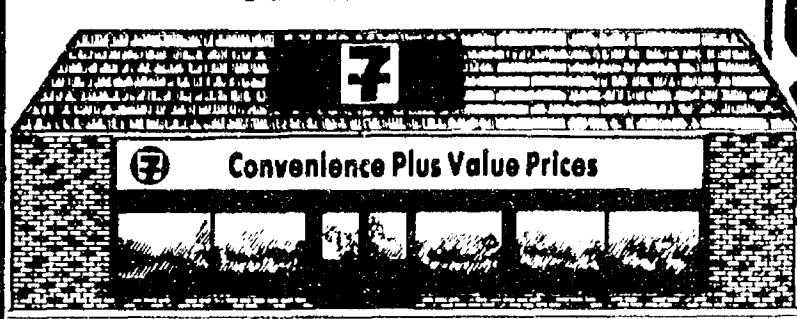
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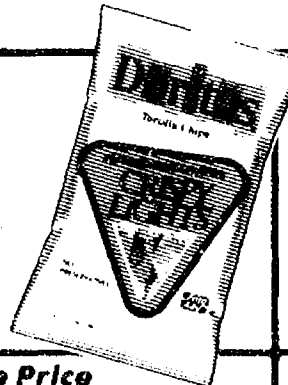
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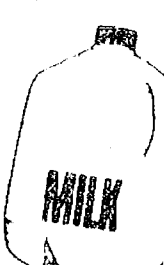
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Beginning at 7:00 p.m. — Circle Court in Riverside Subdivision and Woodleaf Drive in Woodhurst Subdivision.

Beginning at 8:00 p.m. — Robin Hood Lane, Ole Dam Road, Little John Avenue, Nottingham Drive, and Friar Tuck Lane within Sherwood Forest Subdivision.

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On Kirtland's Dean's List

The following area students have been named to the Dean's List at Kirtland Community College for the Fall, 1982, semester:

Grayling: Curtis Barnes, Kim Bowman, Robert Cudney, Donald Gravelyn, Dennis Harland, Mark Kesteloot, Charles LaVack, V. Robbins, Rodney Rumohr, William Schmidt, Robert Sonefeld, Thai Truong.
Frederic: Lois Mertes.

Roscommon: Gary Blazek, Joseph Cornwell, Anthony Gage, James Mollon, Larry Protasiewicz, James Vanremortel, Calla Jo Werle, Nancy Root.

Benefit Concert

Local Dance Bands To Appear in Concert March 25

On Friday evening, March 25, the Grayling High School Big Band and the Original AuSable River Dixieland Band will be appearing in concert at the high school auditorium beginning at 8:00 p.m.

The purpose of the concert will be to generate needed funds for two young Grayling men, Tim Taylor and George Morse who will be representing our community and the United States in a European tour with the Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp Orchestra in June and July.

All proceeds from this planned concert will be turned over to a fund which has been established for them at the Grayling State Bank.

Bake Sale at Fashion Show

Crawford County Right to Life will be holding a Bake Sale during St. Mary's Spring Fashion Show, on Sat., March 26th.

Anyone interested in donating bake goods please call Mary Kay Blaauw at 348-5364 or drop them off at the Family Center no later than 11 a.m. the day of the sale.

Nurses to Meet

The North Central Michigan Nurses Association will hold the March 24th meeting at Holiday Inn, Grayling, with dinner at 6:00 p.m., followed by the meeting at 7:30 p.m.

The topic will be "Stress Management for Nurses" to be presented by Gail Edwards, Extension Home Economist for Crawford, Roscommon and Oscoda Counties.

DNR Extends Trapping Season

A Dept. of Natural Resources Director's order signed on March 11, 1983 has extended the current Beaver and Otter Trapping Season through April 24, 1983 in the Upper Peninsula & through April 20, 1983 in area "B" (which includes Crawford County). After March 31, 1983 a new trapping license will be required. All other regulations, including bag limits, are unchanged.

Co-Op Nursery School

Grayling's Co-op Nursery School has been very active this year in its fundraising efforts. Just recently we had a grocery shopping spree with three winners, Judy Craft, Cy Young and Evelyn Keir.

In the near future we have a full day planned with our Arts & Craft/Bake Sale in the Grayling Middle School on April 23rd. We will be represented along with other non-profit organizations from the area.

We have many good ideas this year, and will keep you posted as each new activity approaches.

Editor's Mailbox

Dear Mr. Editor:

I would like to address this letter to all dog owners, who let their animals run and bark all day at the expense of their neighbors.

Are you guilty of or both of the above?

Do you justify this by saying you clean up after other animals? Believe me this is a cop out.

We have laws against this and our animal control officer and local police force do their best to keep on top of this problem, but there are those of you who choose to ignore their warnings or think they only apply to others.

So the next time you open your door to let your animal out to do its duty in someone's yard, give a little more thought to who will have to clean up the mess, listen to them bark or keep them out of their gardens.

I for one plan on enjoying my time out of doors this summer and I don't plan on cleaning up after your animals, chasing them out of my yard, or listening to them bark.

If it takes a letter of complaint to get your attention to take better control of your animals - believe me I will be more than glad to sign one.

Mr. Editor - I don't believe in writing letters to you and not signing my name to them, but in this case I am going to do just that in hope that it will help improve not only my neighborhood but those of others whom I am sure have this same problem.

In closing let me leave you with this thought - if you let your animal out to run, you are not doing your animal or your neighbors a favor. If you care at all for your animals, keep them confined to your property. Then they won't be a bother to someone else or be getting into things they aren't supposed to be in, or getting hit by a car.

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AMBULANCE DEDICATION—Crawford County officials, Ambulance Corps members, and Mercy Hospital officials helped dedicate the new county ambulance last week. The new ambulance, which cost close to \$33,000, gives the county a modern outfit on the road to go along with a back-up in Grayling and another ambulance located in Frederic.

Bits O'Talk

by Fay Bovee

Iola Broadbent picked a purple Tulip in her yard on Wednesday, March 9th.

A guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Moore was her brother, Hubert Clem, of Coos Bay, Oregon. He came to enjoy the snow, but unfortunately there wasn't any. Come back next year!

Many students were on their spring break. Visiting at their homes were Holly Nunn from Eastern Michigan with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Nunn.

Sherry Wieland of Oakland University with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Wieland.

Gary Pettyjohn of Michigan Tech with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Pettyjohn.

Dean Morford of MTU with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Morford.

Shelly Kammer of Northern Michigan with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kammer.

Terri Fijolek of Eastern Michigan with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chet Fijolek.

Shaunna Watters of Michigan Tech with her mother, Mrs. Glenna Watters and Tim Sloan of Kirtland visit.

Lincoln Day Dinner

Friday, April 15

The Crawford County Republican Lincoln Day Dinner will be at the American Legion Hall in Grayling on Friday, April 15, 1983. A social hour from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. will precede the dinner. County Chairman Art Thayer announced Monday. The program so far will be a showing of the Millikin Foundation film "Stewards of the State" which stars our own Bridget Hoffman. Bridget will be there to introduce the film. Larry Reed, 10th District candidate for Congress, will be the Master of Ceremonies. Congressman Bob Davis has been invited to report on federal legislation, particularly the new Social Security bill, and Sen. Connie Binsfeld and Rep. Ralph Ostling have been invited to report on state legislation.

Tickets will be available from any member of the County Republican Committee or by calling 348-7253 at \$7.00 per person. The dinner will be served by American Legion Post 106 and prepared by chef Al Kesteloot and his crew. Republican committee Vice-chairman Sue Medler and Mary-Jane Thayer are handling the menu; Treasurer Cinna Weede is in charge of decorations and Art Thayer is taking care of publicity and tickets.

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Friday Services For Ester K. Peterson, 82

Ester K. Peterson, age 82, passed away, Tuesday, March 8, 1983 at Beaumont Hospital, Royal Oak, Michigan. Funeral services were held 1:00 p.m., Friday, March 11, 1983 at Sorenson Funeral Home with The Reverend Robert Haskel officiating.

Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery. Pallbearers were Don Peterson, Ken Peterson, John Peterson, Jim Petersen, Bernard Feldhauser, and Keith Moore.

Mrs. Peterson, a lifelong resident, was born June 24, 1900. She was retired from Keyport Clinic where she had been employed as office administrator/manager.

Survivors include her daughter, Mrs. Robert (Katherine) Lewis of Royal Oak; and two sisters, Martha Petersen of Maple Forest and Sophie Forsberg of Duluth.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Calvin Hawley wishes to express their gratitude for the care given our husband and father during his stay at Mercy Hospital and also to the ambulance crew. And a special thanks to Dee Schilbe for the care given him while being transported to Petoskey.

Betty Hawley and family.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this opportunity to especially thank Dr. Wayne Casler, also Dr. Paul Mesack, the staff at Grayling Hospital for Animals for the tender loving care received before, during and after my surgery March 7th.

"TRINKET" Rowe-Lee

MAPLE FOREST TOWNSHIP ANNUAL MEETING

and Budget Hearings on the General Fund and Federal Revenue Sharing Fund for 1983-84 will be held on Saturday, March 26, 1983 at 7:30 p.m. at the Township Hall on Sherman Road.

A SPECIAL MEETING of the Board will be held following the Annual Meeting for the purpose of adoption of the 1983-84 Budgets.

All residents are urged to attend.

-17-24- Susan Keene, Clerk

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'83 GHS Yearbook On Sale March 17th

Senior editors Nate Kolb and Todd Riley report that the 1983 GHS yearbook will go on sale beginning Thursday, March 17th. The sale will continue through Thursday, March 24th at the special reduced price of \$12.00. The promotional will be launched at a St. Patrick's Day Assembly on the 17th featuring the Jazz Band under the direction of Howard Taylor and picture slides showing GHS student life.

The book is currently under production with a scheduled August delivery date. The student publication will feature cover and divider page art work by junior Pat Moore. Senior Linda Goddard is working with Pat in the development of these special features.

The Vikings Sport section is being developed by senior Karen Kibbe. Two juniors, Karla Dosch and Monique Petrosky are handling business affairs for the yearbook staff. The academic section is being put together by another junior, Lisa Cde-Baca. New to the academic scene and featured in the '83 book will be the computer lab and of course, the new principal and superintendent.



Other juniors working in leadership roles are Alice Matyn and Felicia Galvani (Organizations), Lisa LaMotte (Class of '84), and Jodee Hatley (Activities). Sophomores Lexis Wegner and Joe Rakoczy carry responsibility for their class pages, with Beth Bedard and Cheri Hutek doing the same for the Class of '86. Another senior, Diane VanAntwerp, is working on the directory section so that everyone will be able to find their pictures

in the book.

The Class of '83 section is the responsibility of the co-editors who report that the entire staff is pulling together to produce a yearbook representative of student life at Grayling High School.

The book will be completed by the staff in time for a mid August delivery date. The staff plans an autograph supplement for distribution to the entire student body before graduation week.

The students named in this article are those in leadership roles, an additional forty students are participating in some way in the production of the yearbook. This is an extra-curricular activity which provides students with a hands on experience in writing, photography, layout design and production, as well as business management and sales. Chuck Kolb, GHS staff member, serves as faculty advisor to the yearbook staff.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our appreciation to everyone who has touched our lives in so many ways during the

illness & death of our mother. God Bless You All.
The Family of Mary Galvani

Services Held For Doree Worthey, 86

Doree J. Worthey, 86, of Horseshoe Lake north of Frederic, passed away March 10 at McReynolds Hall, Gaylord.

Funeral services for Mrs. Worthey were held Monday, March 14 at Sorenson Funeral Home. Interment Oakwood Cemetery, Frederic. Mrs. Worthey was in state at Sorenson Funeral Home where friends called on Sunday, March 13 from 11 a.m. until 9 p.m.

Mrs. Worthey was born April 3, 1896 at Barnsley, England and spent her first twenty seven years there. She came to America with her husband and two children in 1923. They settled in St. Clair Shores, then moved to Richmond, prior to relocating at Horseshoe Lake in 1932 during the depths of the depression. The resort they built was sold in 1944 and in 1949 they started work on a Trailer Court which has been operated by the family since 1950. She was preceded in death by her husband George in 1950 and their daughter Annie Josephine McEvers in 1976 and great grandson Scott McEvers in 1981.

Survivors include their daughter Margaret and husband Marius Rogalle, son-in-law Harry McEvers, four grandchildren Derek E., George E. and Michael M.

McEvers of Grayling and Patricia L. Kozminski of Walker, six great grandchildren and one great great granddaughter. Two sisters Renee Smith and Diana Corde also one brother Ronald Holdsworth all in England. One nephew John Holdsworth and wife Enid of Michigan City, Indiana, plus numerous nieces and nephews in England and South Africa. Mrs. Worthey was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, Grayling and the Grayling Booster Club.

Pallbearers were Derek McEvers, Mike McEvers, George McEvers, Jason McEvers, Robert Kozminski, and Gary Fox. Honorary pallbearers were Ernie Hale and Ace Leng.

Joseph J. Uphold Succumbs Feb. 27

Joseph J. Uphold, 79, Waters, died Sunday, February 27, 1983 at Munson Medical Center, Traverse City.

He was born January 24, 1904 in Indiana and was preceded in death by his wife Janice in June, 1981.

Services were held March 2, 1983 at Lynch and Sons Funeral Home, Clawson. Burial was in Roseland Park Cemetery, Berkley, Michigan.

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District Court

The following persons appeared before Francis L. Walsh in 83rd District Court: Roko Bojaj, 19, of Pontiac, demanded examination to a charge of larceny from a safe with damage to the safe. He was charged in connection with a robbery from the American Legion Post Feb. 28.

Robert Cattia, 36, of Roscommon, plead guilty to a charge of impaired driving and was fined \$255 or 14 days and probation for 6 months. He was cited July 5 by sheriff deputies.

Kenneth Northrup, 26, of Whittemore Lake, plead nolo contendere to a charge of D.U.I.L. and was fined \$305 or 30 days plus probation for six months along with suspension of his license for 90 days. He was cited Nov. 25 by sheriff deputies.

Substance Abuse Seminar Mar. 23

The Grayling office of the AuSable Valley Youth Services Bureau held the first of its two-part alcohol and substance abuse seminar on March 2, 1983. Jim Coats and Doug Wilson made a presentation on alcohol abuse to a group of sixty high school students. The second part of the seminar will take place on Wednesday, March 23, 1983. This presentation will take place during 5th and 6th hours at the High School bookkeeping room. This part of the seminar will deal mainly with drugs and dangerous substances. Speakers scheduled to appear will include Jim Coats and Sam Cornilious. (alcohol and substance abuse counselor out of the Traverse City area).

On Tuesday, March 8, 1983 several area students attended a special seminar on feminine hygiene and sexuality sponsored by the Youth Service Bureau and the Teen Health Awareness Program. Speakers for this presentation included Debra Larson, Amy Harned and Cindy Pushman. A similar presentation has been planned in April.

Doug Wilson would like to remind all Y.S.B. Board Members of the Board of Directors meeting scheduled for Thursday, March 17, 1983 at 12 o'clock at the Grayling Holiday Inn. On this month's agenda will be the election of new officers, community selections and other programs and financial information.

All board members are urged to attend.
 For more information call 348-2841 ext. 282.

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Grayling Township Board

Special Meeting — March 1, 1983

Members present: J. Bonkowski, E. Gardiner, M. Hallett, M. Ashton, B. Fowler.
 Members Absent: None
 Others Present: Bob Chappel
 Meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Supervisor Fowler.

Discussion was opened by Supervisor Fowler concerning Grayling Township Zoning Ordinance 81-2. The 81-2 Ordinance was adopted in April 1981 and subsequently rescinded on September 8, 1982 per agreement worked out in Circuit Court by all parties. Currently Grayling Township is operating under the Grayling Township Zoning Ordinance of 1966.

The Board feels it is in the best interest of the Township to reprocess Grayling Township Zoning Ordinance 81-2 by Public Hearing with input by Township residents for possible amendments.

The following resolution declaring intent to proceed under the provisions of P.A. 1943, No. 184 was offered:

WHEREAS, the character of Grayling Township has undergone and is undergoing change in its population, size and makeup, and

WHEREAS, a substantial revision to the present Grayling Township Zoning Ordinance appears necessary to render the said Zoning Ordinance more responsive to the current needs of the land and population development of Grayling Township.

THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Grayling Township Board, by this resolution, declares its intent to proceed under the provisions of P.A. 1943, No. 184, and adopt such amendments to the present Zoning Ordinance as may be necessary.

Motion by Bonkowski, supported by Hallett, to adopt the resolution declaring intent to proceed under the provisions of P.A. 1943, No. 184. Roll call: Bonkowski-aye, Gardiner-aye, Hallett-aye, Ashton-aye, Fowler-aye. All ayes. Motion carried.

The Board discussed, but took no action on, several models of copy machines.

Supervisor Fowler suggested we clean up and perhaps plant grass and shrubs in the area in front of the compactor. The consensus was to proceed, weather permitting.

Motion to adjourn the meeting by Hallett, supported by Bonkowski. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned. (8:55 p.m.) Respectfully submitted, Monica S. Ashton, Grayling Township Clerk

Grayling Township Board

Regular Meeting — March 8, 1983

Members present: E. Gardiner, J. Bonkowski, M. Hallett, M. Ashton, B. Fowler.
 Members absent: None
 Others present: Fran Hanson, Rose Keusch, Jeff Harney, Howard Guyette, Bob Chappel, Bill Nielson, Barb Sojka, Jack Hull.

Motion by Bonkowski, supported by Hallett to approve the minutes of 2/8/83 regular meeting and 3/1/83 special meeting as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Tailored Training Offered at Kirtland

Through funding from the Private Industry Councils (Regions 7B and 9) combined with "The Job Training and Retraining Investment Fund," Kirtland Community College is enabled to have adequate staffing to market the "Quick Start" training program. The design of the program is a result of joint planning by company, college, and other training specialists with quick turn around.

Funds for the program will be utilized to contract for services for a job developer/placement specialist to market the program and work with new and existing employers. Kirtland Community College and COOR Intermediate School District are working jointly on the project.

The objectives of the program are to provide a variety of student and employer training services, anyone of which would prove too costly to provide alone. The "Quick Start" training program is available to employers that fit into the following categories:

1. The business/industry is located in the community and creating new jobs.
2. The business/industry is expanding in the community and creating new jobs.
3. The business/industry has employees who are about to become structurally unemployed, but who can be retained if retrained.
4. The business/industry is considering moving from the community due to the absence of a trained work force.

Programs are subject to the approval of the Michigan Department of Education-Vocational Technical Education Service.

The Job Developer will work with employers in developing applications for submission for funding. In addition, employers will be provided with contact persons for other training resources that may be leveraged as part of a project, i.e. job training partnership funding, targeted job tax credits, vocational rehabilitation, etc.

The economic development team at Kirtland looks forward to working with existing and new businesses in an endeavor to enable them to "gear up" for operating more cost effectively and expeditiously.

Raymond D. Homer, President, stated: "Kirtland has a record of success in responding to the needs of specific training required by companies in our service area and looks forward to expanding these opportunities."

Those seeking more information on the program should contact Steven B. Perry, President's Office, at 517-275-5121, extension 220, or Fred Stanley at extension 265.

COMMISSION ORDER No. CFI-113.73

(under authority of Act 238, P.A. 1925, as amended)

Regulations on Tiger Muskellunge

The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on July 14, 1978, under the authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, renewed the order of August 10, 1973, that hybrid muskellunge, commonly known as the "tiger muskellunge", shall be deemed a muskellunge, and it shall be unlawful to take or possess tiger muskellunge except in accordance with laws, rules, and regulations governing muskellunge, for a period of five years effective January 1, 1979.

Treasurer's report was given. Motion by Bonkowski, supported by Ashton that it be approved. All ayes. Motion carried.

Correspondence:

1. Registration forms were received from M.T.A. Michigan Municipal Clerk's Institute to be held at Kellogg Center, East Lansing, Mi. April 11-15, 1983. Motion by Bonkowski, supported by Hallett to authorize Monica Ashton to attend the M.M.C.I. if desired course is available and registration is accepted. Roll call: Gardiner-aye, Hallett-aye, Bonkowski-aye, Ashton-aye, Fowler-aye. All ayes. Motion carried.

2. Received notice from the Dept. of Commerce of cancellation of application for transfer of ownership of 1982 Class C License with Sunday sales and dance permit from Grayling Red Barn, Inc. to Lee's Red Barn, Inc.

3. The February issue of NATAT Reporter is on file in the Township office.

4. February M.T.A.-Capital Currents Newsletter, which highlighted House and Senate bills affecting townships, was noted and placed on file. Also, Governor Blanchard has ordered an indefinite delay of State Revenue Sharing due February 1, 1983.

5. The Crawford County Sheriff's Department January activities report was summarized and placed on file.

6. Public Notice received of proposed re-issuance of general permit No. 77-200-2 for erosion control and fish habitat structures (log and rip-rap structures) in all water bodies in the state of Michigan.

7. Letter from Campbell, Kusterer, & Walraven, P.C.-C.P.A.'s in Bay City wishing to give a free estimate of their services.

8. Jack Hull of Miller Christensen joined the meeting to offer a revised bid for Township office space in the M-72 West Industrial Plaza.

9. The Township has just received its copy of the Crawford County Prime Forestlands Manual. The manual identifies, using existing soils and forest productivity information and major input from local resource professionals, the prime forestlands of the area and suggests methods for retaining those prime forestlands.

Our copy will be placed on file in the Township office. A manual for each of the eight counties studied will be made available at their respective local libraries for public use.

10. The proposed 1983-84 Fire Budget was submitted for the Board's examination. The Township share would be approximately \$10,000.00 more than last year, mainly contributed to the refurbishing of the 1970 Chevy Tanker Pumper.

11. Supervisor Fowler discussed Senate Bill 33, proposed amendment to the Subdivision Control Act, which would place more responsibility on the Township to discover violations of the Act.

12. The Building and Ordinance report was read and placed on file.

13. The Assessing Department report was read and placed on file. The assessment roll has been completed and is ready for Board of Review.

14. The Supervisor's report included a question of per diem pay for Township members of the Transportation Authority and Recreation Authority. Currently, these members are not being compensated.

Motion by Bonkowski, supported by Gardiner that Grayling Township representatives to the Transportation Authority be compensated \$25.00 per diem for Transportation Authority meetings, with the exception that any salaried Township employee will not receive per diem for meetings held during regular Township business hours. Roll call: Gardiner-aye, Hallett-aye, Bonkowski-aye, Ashton-aye, Fowler-aye. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Ashton, supported by Hallett that Grayling Township members of the Recreation Authority be compensated \$25.00 per diem for Recreation Authority meetings, with the exception that any salaried Township employee will not receive per diem for meetings held during regular Township business hours. Roll call: Gardiner-aye, Hallett-aye, Bonkowski-aye, Ashton-aye, Fowler-aye. All ayes. Motion carried.

15. The proposed 1983 Airport Budget was received with a formula for prorating costs between the Township, City and County.

Motion by Gardiner, supported by Hallett to approve the formula, based on 1982 State Equalized Value, (including industrial and commercial facilities) for arriving at airport portion of Transportation Authority budget. For 1983 this formula will be: County 67.9%, City 8.7%, Township 23.8%. Roll call: Gardiner-aye, Hallett-aye, Bonkowski-aye, Ashton-aye, Fowler-aye. All ayes. Motion carried.

16. The Board has previously expressed a desire to give Township residents more services. (A) In the form of free compactor services.

Motion by Bonkowski, supported by Gardiner to develop an annual refuse compactor ticket, by which Township residents and taxpayers would use the compactor at no charge, to become effective July 1, 1983. All ayes. Motion carried.

(B) In the form of subsidizing, for Township resident users, the Dial-A-Ride system, with the intention of either lowering rates or doing away with rates for Township resident users of the system.

The Board recommended that the Supervisor work with Chet Johnston, Dial-A-Ride Manager, to come up with possible plans of action.

17. Supervisor Fowler's six month performance appraisal of Level III Assessor, Sharon Ruhl, has resulted in the recommendation of a raise in salary.

Motion by Bonkowski, supported by Gardiner, that Sharon Ruhl's salary be increased by \$20 per hour, effective April 4, 1983. All ayes. Motion carried.

18. The Board received an offer on the Pitney Bowes model No. 458 copier from Norman Parker for \$450.00.

Motion by Bonkowski, supported by Hallett to sell Pitney Bowes model No. 458 copier to Norman Parker for \$450.00. Roll call: Gardiner-aye, Hallett-aye, Bonkowski-aye, Ashton-aye, Fowler-aye. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Bonkowski, supported by Gardiner to pay bills on vouchers 6052, 6063, 6090, 6101, and 6112 through 6139. Roll call: Gardiner-aye, Hallett-aye, Bonkowski-aye, Ashton-aye, Fowler-aye. All ayes. Motion carried.

Suggestion by Bonkowski to look into the legality and practicality of publishing only a synopsis of Board minutes.

Motion to adjourn by Hallett, supported by Bonkowski. All ayes. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
 Monica S. Ashton
 Grayling Township Clerk

Thank You

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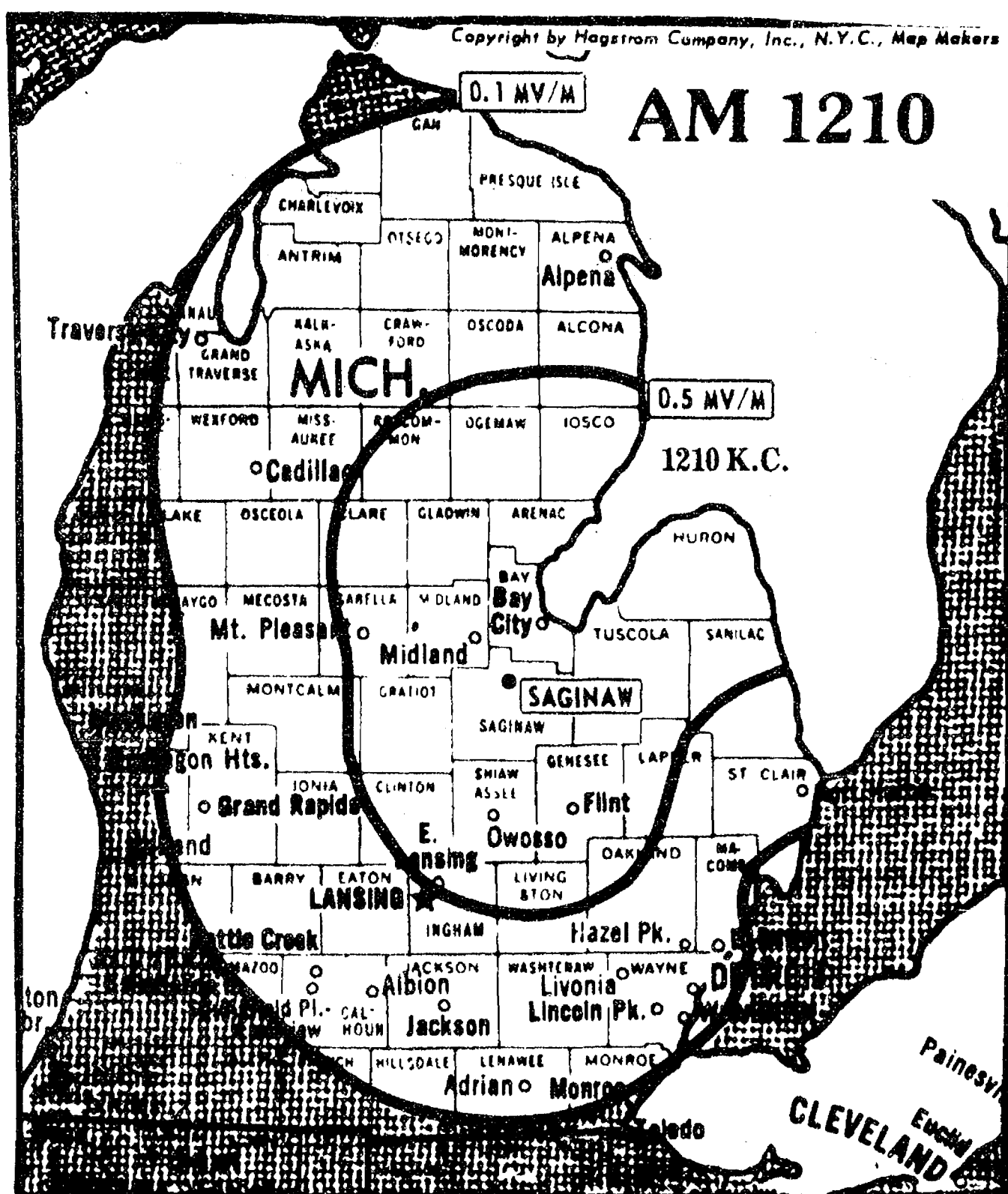
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A special thanks to the Regional Chamber of Commerce, Chief Shoppenagos, the pageant headquarters, for all your assistance and for being so accommodating. To Jodi Wilke, for doing such a fine job of fundraising. Betty Bennett for the super job of advertising and pageant reporter. Extra special thanks to Carol Miller for always being there and never tiring of doing just one more job. And of course to the eight lovely young ladies of our community that was willing to represent her for the year: Jennifer Alef, Sheila Burpee, Ilm Goerke, Kristin Casler, Wendy Savallisch (Miss Congeniality), Sheri Lindebold (2nd Runner up and Talent Winner), Mandy Baker (1st Runner up) and Miss Grayling Heidi Goss. Good job girls!

If I have forgotten anyone please forgive me and know I truly appreciate your help. The pageant grows each year and I feel it brings us all together and makes us the great community that we are. Thanks again my friends.

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Son of Local Couple Earns Hockey Award

Bob Rankin, son of Joanne and Jim Shively, of Grayling, has been named the 1982 winner of the Kevin Dougherty Memorial Scholarship at St. Lawrence University in New York.

The freshman Rankin became the third SLU player given the award, dedicated to Dougherty, a former SLU hockey standout known for his hustle and leadership.

Rankin, who is also an honor roll student, split his

time this season between the Division I school's J.V. and varsity squad. Last year he scored 77 points at Kimball Union Academy including a six-goal game.

Audubon Society Plans Trip

The Kirtland Audubon Chapter is planning a trip to Whitefish Point to watch the spring raptor migration. The trip is scheduled for April 23, 1983. The bus will leave from the Student Center building at Kirtland Community College at 5:00 a.m. and return to the college at 9:00 p.m.

Bring your own lunch, and we will stop in Mackinaw City on the way home (buy your own dinner). Price for the trip is \$7.00 for paid members, or \$10.00 for non-members.

There is a 35 person maximum, first come-first served! For more information call Laura Smith at 275-5457, Lois Brown at 348-5768, or Curt Losee at 275-5371, or send your reservation money to: Curt Losee, Rt. 4, Box 4917, Roscommon, MI 48653.

Deadline for money is March 24, 1983.

Named To Dean's List

Valparaiso, Indiana-The following students are among those who have been honored for their academic achievement at Valparaiso University by being named to the Dean's List for the Fall Semester, 1982.

Jeffrey Schrader of Holland, Mich., in Business Administration. Jeff is the son of Joe and Carol Schrader, former Grayling residents.

Students receiving this honor have earned a grade point average of 3.5 or better under a 4.0 system. Law School students receiving honors have earned a grade average of 86 or better on a 100 percent scale.

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Levin's Aide in Frederic Mar. 23

Kathy Pelleran, U.S. Senator Carl Levin's aide, will be in Frederic Wednesday, March 23 from 2 to 3 p.m. at the Frederic Township hall. Area residents are invited to stop and see her if they have problems or comments concerning federal agencies.

School Meals

March 21 thru 25

Breakfast

Mon. - Choice of: Rice Krispies, Cheerios, Raisin Bran, Orange Juice.

Tues. - Donuts, Hot Chocolate, Fruit.

Wed. - Cooked Cereal, Orange Juice.

Thurs. - Choice of: Sugar Snacks, Puffed Rice, Corn Flakes, Orange Juice.

Fri. - Pancakes, Orange Juice.

Lunch

Mon. - Sloppy Joes, Buttered Vegetable, Chilled Fruit.

Tues. - Texas Hash, Jello/Fruit, Hot Rolls.

Wed. - Tomato Soup, Crackers, Bread & Peanut Butter, Cobbler.

Thurs. - Pizza, Buttered Vegetable, Chilled Fruit.

Fri. - Choice of: Spaghetti or Toasted Cheese Sandwiches, Buttered Vegetable, Jello/Fruit.

Milk is served with all meals.

Menu subject to change without notice.

Audubon Chapter To Meet

On March 24, 1983, the Kirtland Audubon Chapter will be holding their next meeting at 7:30 p.m. in room

7 of the Academic Building on the Kirtland campus.

Our guest speaker will be Mr. Nels Johnson from the Department of Natural Resources, who will present a program on the Pigeon River area.



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JUNIOR DEPUTY REPORT—On Wednesday, March 2, Mrs. Hettinger from the animal shelter came in and talked to the fourth grade about her job. She also brought her dog, Valentine. At the shelter they have dogs, cats, puppies, kittens, etc. Mrs. Hettinger's dog, Valentine, got her name Valentine because she was brought to the shelter on Valentine's Day. The county provides the shelter money for the unwanted animals and any other animals. The shelter finds homes for some of the animals. By Lisa Barber and Todd Neely, 4th grade.

Chamber Chatter

By Joyce Kolka

The Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors approved last week a new dues structure for chamber members. Effective June 1 there will be a considerable reduction for most classes of members.

The Membership Committee recommended the reduced charges based upon the present economic conditions and with the philosophy that the lowered fees could reasonably make the membership ranks grow.

The Executive Committee of the chamber has called a general membership meeting for April 14 to discuss programs for the coming tourist season and future plans.

At the last Milltown Meeting it was agreed to name a Miss and Master Milltown Festival Parade Leader by means of a drawing. Plans call for ballot boxes to be distributed in various business establishments with the random drawing to take place prior to the Kids Parade on August 3.

The Milltown Committee also agreed to hold a general meeting next month of all organizations participating in any way in the festival. They noted that the purpose of the meeting will be to explain the changes in various guidelines for the festival and to give participants an opportunity to discuss their plans in participating at the events.

In another major development, the Chamber Executive Committee finalized plans for a new approach to promotional literature for the area. A booklet of about 40 pages will be produced with editorial copy featuring the various outstanding tourist offerings in this area. Separate articles will be included ranging from fishing prospects to more mushroom hunting.

Tentative plans call for the booklet to be divided in seasonal segments with appropriate businesses in each segment.

Great things are beginning to happen around us such as a ground breaking ceremony for the new Grayling Health Care Center Thursday, March 17th at 11 a.m. The facility of 120 beds will be located behind the AuSable Motel. Entry to the center will be a driveway between the motel and the United Federal Savings. Owners of the center, Mark and Asa Tarvainen, anticipate that 70 to 75 persons will be employed when opened in the fall of 1983.

Reports have it that ticket sales for the Think Spring Give-away of a 15 foot canoe are going nicely. The canoe and equipment such as Carlisle Paddles, seat cushions and cartop carrier will be given away on May 1st. Tickets are available from any Chamber Board Member or the Chamber Office.

Congratulations to new Chamber Board Members JoAnn Cox of Holiday Inn and Ed Wyke of Weyerhaeuser. These two people were selected by the Chamber Board of Directors to fill vacancies due to recent personnel changes.

Welcome to two new members Wiltsie Carpet Service & Grayling Business and Professional Women. These new members bring the total number of businesses supporting the Chamber to 177.

Buttons will be sold to participants in the Troutarama Fishing Contest to be held during the opening weekend of trout season April 30-May 1. There will be separate 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes for the largest brook, brown and rainbow trout.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

March 17 — Ground Breaking - Grayling Health Care Center
March 19, 26 — Little League Registration - City Council Chambers.

March 19 — IRS to help with Federal W/H Forms - 11 a.m. - Northern National Bank

March 19-27 — Mothers March of Dimes

March 25-27 — Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive.

Crawford AuSable School District March Monthly Calendar

3/21 — Board of Education Work Study Session, 7:30 in the high school library.

3/24 — Travel and Adventure series, "Italy" in the auditorium at 7:30 p.m.

3/25 — End of the first 9 week marking period of the second semester.

3/29 — Parent/teacher conferences at the middle school, Grayling Elementary School and Frederic Elementary School, 1:30-5:30 p.m.; Early dismissal for all students beginning at 1:00 in the elementary schools.

Crawford County

South Branch Township

ANNUAL MEETING

1:00 P.M. — March 26, 1983

HEARINGS ON ALL BUDGETS AND
FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING
AT TOWNSHIP HALL, M-18.

SPECIAL MEETING

A Special Meeting of the South Branch Township Board will be held following the Annual Meeting on March 26, 1983 at the Township Hall on M-18 for the purpose of adoption of the 1983-84 Budgets.

-10-17- Mary M. Mollon, Clerk

NOTICE

Lovells Township Residents

WANTED ASSESSOR

REQUIREMENTS

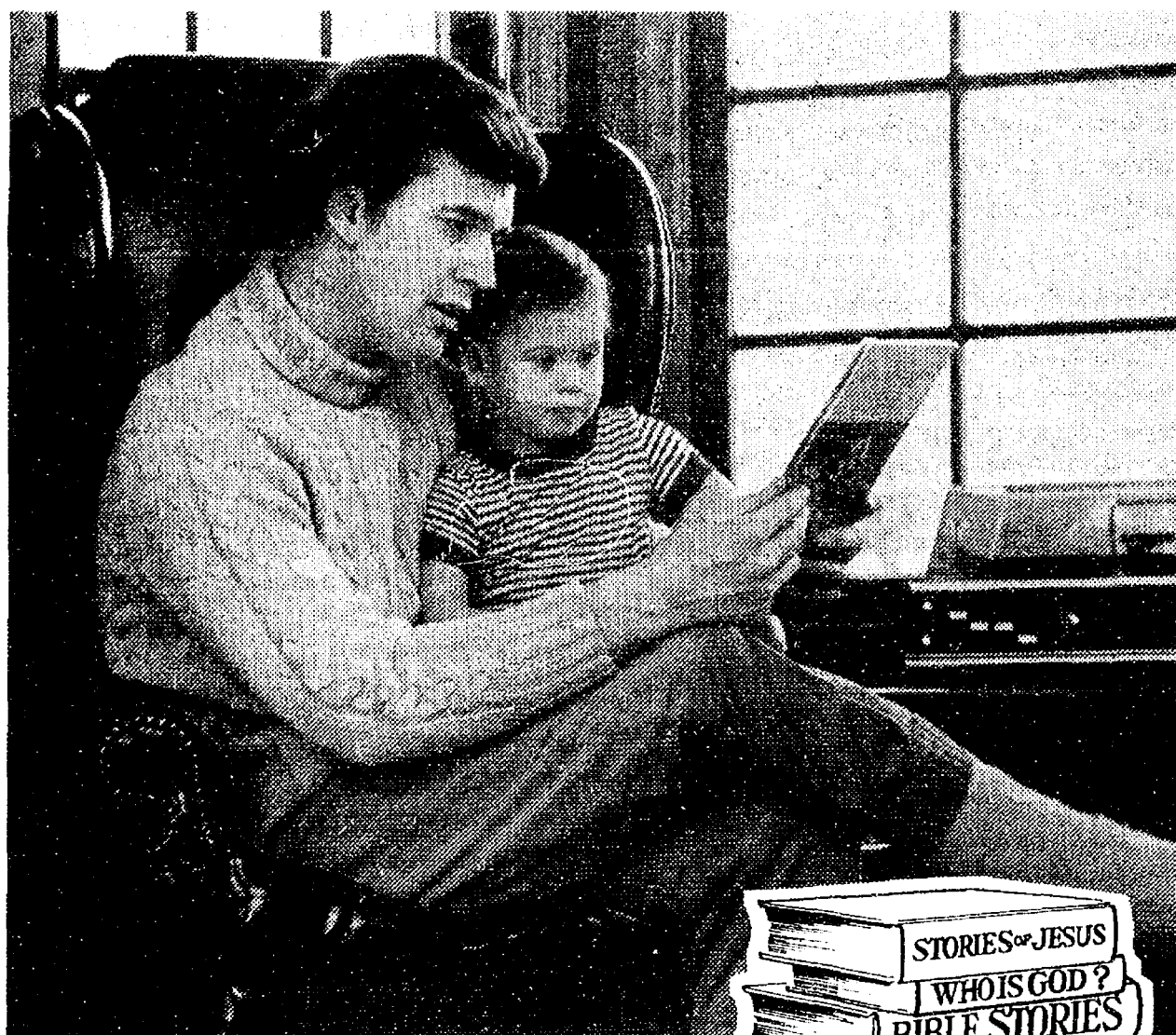
Must be a Lovells Twp. resident

A Level I Certification or trained to be a Level I

Opening on Lovells Township Zoning Board and Zoning Board of Appeals.

Anyone interested please call 348-9557 or 348-8172. • -10-17-24-31-

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Mysteries

The words themselves are mysteries to him — black "squiggles" against the white page — but Daddy makes them sound very interesting.

Later he will begin to read for himself and a vast new world will be opened.

In it, however, other mysteries will appear — other things that seem as impossible as the black words against the white page. But gradually these will become clearer.

One of these mysteries is religion. Understanding God's message, learning the meaning of faith — these vital subjects take a particular kind of education and special study. It will take the remainder of his lifetime, and yet more, to fully understand the spiritual universe.

But this little boy is lucky. Although he doesn't know it yet, his parents will see to it that he gets this "education" in the right place — in their house of worship.

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Grayling

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Dione Cerelli, Owner
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Mon. thru Sat. — 348-8727

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Grayling - Phone 348-7291
Father Bill Rabior
St. Mary's Mass Schedule
Saturdays 5 & 7 p.m.
Sundays 9:30 & 11 a.m.

Confessions

Saturday — 4 to 4:45 p.m.

COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD

501 Mich. Ave. - Grayling
Craig Hexham, Pastor
Phone 348-8342

Morning Worship and
Jr. Church 10:30 a.m.

Potluck Fellowship Dinner
1st Sunday of month after service

Prayer Service - Wed., 7:30 p.m.

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

Corner of North Down River Rd.
and South Millikin Rd.
Pastor, Wayne Horton

Sunday: Church School 10 a.m.

Preaching 11 a.m.

Midweek Service, Prayer, 7:30 p.m.

GAYLORD CHRISTIAN REFORMED

Rev. J.J. Vanden Hoek
415 Ohio North

Sunday School 10 a.m.

Morning Worship 11 a.m.

Evening Service 5 p.m.

Wed. Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

ST. JOHN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCA Synod)

710 Spruce St.
Robert F. Haskel, Pastor
Phone 348-8201

Church School 10 a.m.

Worship Service 11 a.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

M-72 West
Pastor Robert Barnett

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Worship Service 10:30 a.m.

Evening Worship 6 p.m.

Mid-Week Services
Prayer & Bible Class,
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

ST. FRANCIS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

M-72 West
Vicar: The Rev. Derik Justin Roy
Home: 348-2682 Office: 348-5850

Holy Eucharist 8:30 & 10:30

Church School 10:30

Adult & Children 10:30

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Frederic
Pastor Robert Taylor

Sunday: Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday: Youth Meetings
Juniors, ages 7-12 6:30 p.m.

Seniors, ages 13 & up 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday: Prayer & Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

CHRIST MISSIONARY CHURCH

Minister H.A. Hennig
4 Mi. East of Frederic on Co. Rd.
612 in Maple Forest Twp.

Sunday School 10 a.m.

Worship & Praise 11 a.m.

Sunday Evening Service
Winter 6 p.m.
Summer 7 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

209 W. 1st St.
Gaylord, Michigan

Church Services 10:30 a.m.

Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

Wed. Testimonials 8:00 p.m.

Reading Room 11-4 Mon., Wed., Fri

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the right off new entrance road.

Pastor, Gordon Stecker
Phone 348-2342

Church Service 9:30 a.m.

Sabbath School 10:30 a.m.

Prayer Meeting Tues. 7:00 p.m.

All are welcome.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Rev. Donald Roberts
911 Elm St., Phone 348-7132

Sunday School 10 a.m.

Morning Worship 11 a.m.

Evening Service 6 p.m.

Prayer Meeting Wed., 7 p.m.

LOVELLS CHAPEL

Rev. Harry Hilton

Sunday School 10 a.m.

Chapel Service 11 a.m.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

Mr. Donald P. Nardin

Mr. Robert T. Kinn
Ph. 348-4881, Kingdom Hall

Public Talk Sun., 10 a.m.

Wat. Study Sun., 11 a.m.

Book Study Tues., 8 p.m.

Ministry School Thurs., 7:30 p.m.

Service Meeting Thurs., 8:30 p.m.

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Rev. Dale A. Bond - Pastor
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At the junction of M-93 & Old 27

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Saturday Worship 7:00 p.m.

Sunday School and
Adult Bible Class, 9:00 a.m.

Sunday Worship
June 20 thru Labor Day, 8:00 a.m.

Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.

MICHELSON MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Minister: Jeffery D. Regan

Education Ass't: Ann Morford

Worship Services 8:30 & 11 a.m.

Church School 9:40 a.m.

Youth Fellowship Sun., 7:00 p.m.

Cherub & Jr. Choir Thurs., 6:30 pm

Senior Choir Thurs., 7:30 p.m.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH

Larry Evoy - Pastor
6652 W. Kalkaska Rd.
(M-72 West) - Phone 348-536

Next Travelogue March 24

On Thursday evening, March 24, the Crawford AuSable School District will present the next exciting full-color adventure in their current Travel and Adventure Series at the high school auditorium.

Featured on that evening will be nationally recognized lecturer-photographer Jim Forshee showing an interesting film depicting the country of Italy.

Grayling audiences will recognize Mr. Forshee from past performances here as the tall, dry humored fellow whose performance is not unlike those which might be expected from the film star Jimmy Stewart.

Doors of the auditorium will open at 6:45 and the travelogue will begin at 7:30. Tickets will be available at the door.

String Band to Appear at Kirtland

Kirtland's Performing Artist Series brings the down-home footstompin' good-time music of The Lost World String Band to the College's Auditorium on March 28th at 8 p.m. The lively group specializes in traditional American music such as Bluegrass, Ragtime, Swing, and Country, and they even have a Cajun number in their repertoire.

Their rambling harmonies have been heard throughout the state and they have appeared on "The Prairie Home Companion," and "Our Front Porch" both live radio broadcasts on WCMU Public Radio) and at Michigan's Wheatland Bluegrass Festival. They have produced one album in their five years together called "Ready to Wear" and the liner notes give this heart stopping description of the fun-loving group: "Collectively, The Lost World String Band brings to their performances eels of electric excitement and snakes of snappy spontaneity. They generate genuine joyousness...and enough adjective synonyms thereof to provide hearty repeat for your average 30 ton plant eating Thesaurus."

Tickets are available for the Lost World String Band at the College Bookstore and at the following outlets: Roscommon Hardware, Fitzgerald's Home Center in St. Helen, the Houghton Lake Chamber of Commerce, the

Grayling Holiday Inn, the Rose City Public Library, Dressmakers in Mio, and Gould Rexall Drug in West Branch. On April 30 the country/pop star Terri Gibbs will be in concert in the Kirtland Auditorium. Also in April, the Kirtland Community Players will present Michael Cristofer's contemporary drama, "The Shadow Box," directed by Bob Amsden. Performances of the play will be April 8, 9 and 10th.

Tickets will be available for the April events by March 23rd at the outlets listed above. All evening performances in the Performing Artists Series begin at 8 p.m., with a Sunday matinee of "The Shadow Box" at 3 p.m. Tickets are \$4 and \$3 for Lost World String Band, \$3 and \$2 for "The Shadow Box", and \$7 in advance and \$8 at the door for Terri Gibbs.

For more information about the events, call Bob Amsden at the College at 517-275-5121, ext. 275.

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Serving from 4:00-8:00

All You Can Eat

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NEW DRIVE-IN THEATRE?—No, the Rialto Theatre in downtown Grayling is not turning into a drive-in theatre, manager George Stancil says. But many residents took second looks Monday around noon when this car, owned by a Grayling resident, slipped out of park and rolled into the front ticket booth of the Rialto. No one was injured in the accident.

OES Dinner

Grayling Chapter No. 83, Order of Eastern Star will serve a Corned Beef and Cabbage dinner at the Masonic Temple on Saturday, March 19th, serving from 5 to 7 p.m. Donation - adults - \$3.00, children, 12 and under - \$1.50; under 6-free. The public is invited.

RSVP Reports

by Sherry Haag, Dir.

The National Commission on Social Security has made the following recommendations for reform: 1. Accelerate Tax Hikes - Currently employees pay 6.7% on the first \$35,700, and employers pay a like amount. This is scheduled to increase to 7.05% in 1985; 7.15% in 1986, and 7.65% in 1990. The new schedule would be: 7% in 1984; 7.05% in 1985; 7.15% in 1986 and 1989; 7.51% in 1988 and 1989 and 7.65% in 1990. 2. Delay Cost-of-Living - Postpone the expected 5% COLA from July 1, 1983 to Jan. 1, 1984. Supplemental Security Income (SSI) would be liberalized to offset the expected loss of \$120 for the average Social Security beneficiary. 3. Tax One-Half of Benefits - One-half of Social Security benefits would be taxed for individuals with incomes, not counting Social Security of \$20,000 (\$25,000 for couples). Revenue from the tax would be credited to Social Security trust. 4. Include Federal Workers - All federal employees and employees of non-profit organizations hired in 1984 would be brought into the system. 5. Ban Withdrawal of State and Local Employees from Social Security - Ban would begin on the date the reform bill passes Congress. Local governments that have not completed a mandatory 2-year waiting period by that date would not be allowed out of the system. 6. Increase Self-Employed Tax - Self-employed persons currently pay only 3/4 of the combined employer-employee total (9.35% vs. 13.4%). Under this plan, they would have to pay the full combined amount, but will be able to deduct one-half of the contribution as a business expense. 7. Get Reimbursements from Treasury - Treasury would be required to repay benefits earned during military service and reimburse the Social Security trust funds for uncashed checks.

Would you be interested in tutoring children? We have available assignments working with elementary and middle school children in remedial reading. Training is provided. Do you like to work with wood? We have patterns available for Community Service Christmas Projects. Do you like to crochet or knit? Yarn is available for mittens and hats for the Christmas Project, also. Don't forget Operation Identification. Call us for an appointment at 348-4341 or 348-8322.

Events: April 23 - Volunteer Fair - Middle School gym - we will need booth workers. May 20 - RSVP Recognition Dinner. Volunteers with 30 hours of service for the year will be our guests - all others \$5.00.

Elementary School

We Can Tell the Weather Isn't Good!

In Mrs. Larson's room they are learning about weather. Amy Anthony and Nicole Stewart came and told us that weather is good and bad. The dark clouds mean rain and the white clouds mean snow or sunshine and there's also many other different kinds of clouds. Rain evaporates back into the clouds. By Mary Beth Boone & Teresa Ferguson, 5th grade.

Time

The students in Mrs. Larson's first grade room are learning to tell time. They know quarter after, half past, and quarter to. McKencie Kelly said the small hand means the hour. Melanie Ross said that the big hand means the minutes. All the students are proud that they 'know what time it is.' By Teresa Ferguson and Mary Beth Boone, 5th grade.

On March 4, 1983 Grayling Elementary School students started a Read-a-Thon. The object is to get some sponsors to give you pledges such as 1¢, 2¢, 25¢, etc., for every book you read. If you read five or more you get an award. The more books you read the more money you earn to help someone. By Suzanne Hamilton and Heather Willoughby, 5th grade.

Final Rites For Mary Galvani, 82

Mary A. Galvani, 82, of Grayling passed away Tuesday, March 8, 1983 at Mercy Hospital. A memorial service was held Thursday, March 10, at St. Mary's Catholic Church with the Rev. William Rabior officiating. Interment was in Elmwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Galvani was born in Vassar on July 1, 1900 to Orlo & Ruth Shreve and moved to the Grayling area as a child. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, and a homemaker.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Domenico and two sons.

She is survived by six sons; Orlo, Walter, Domenico, and Gerald, all of Grayling; Francis, of Longwood, Florida; and Tomasso (Tom), of Whitefield, Maine; four daughters; Lucy Wilbur, of Flint; Irene Stephan, Grayling; Mary Theresa, of Brandon, Miss.; and Dolores Stephan of Burton. Twenty-nine grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren.

WHY IS LOSING A LOVED ONE TO DEATH SO PAINFUL?



When someone we loved dies our life is changed. We miss the person because we loved them and depended on them for many important things. Frequently our pain is made greater because we have to learn to do many things that the deceased did for us. Raising children alone, earning a living, finding a job or a career, managing the household, finding new friends can all be difficult at a time when we're saddened by our loss. Support from friends is most helpful. We can talk about our feelings with them and they can help us with some of the tasks that give us difficulty. Sometimes we need further information or assistance. At such times we should seek the help of professionals who can help us with specific problems we may have.

Sorenson Funeral Home

1108 N. Down River Rd.-P.O. Box 422-Grayling-348-2951

Derek E. McEvers, President

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GLEN'S SAVE-SHARE GLEN'S SAVE-SHARE

Lovells Township Annual Meeting
1:00 P.M., SAT., MAR. 26, 1983
AT LOVELLS TOWNSHIP HALL

This meeting will serve as a Budget Hearing for the General, Fire, Landfill, Liquor and Federal Revenue Sharing Funds.

-17-24- Helen M. Spencer, Clerk

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ANNUAL
TAX SALESTATE OF MICHIGAN
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF CRAWFORDORDER FOR HEARING
No. 82-005529-CZ

In the Matter of the Complaint of the State Treasurer of the State of Michigan, for and in behalf of said State, for the sale of certain lands for taxes assessed thereon.

On reading and filing the complaint of the State Treasurer of the State of Michigan praying for a judgment in favor of the State of Michigan, against each parcel of land therein described for the amounts therein specified, claimed to be due for taxes, interest and charges on each such parcel of land, and that such lands be sold for the amounts so claimed by the State of Michigan.

It is ordered that said complaint will be brought on for hearing on the 17th day of April in this Court, to be held at Grayling in the County of Crawford State of Michigan, on the 4th day of April A.D. 1983, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that all persons interested in such lands and any part thereof, desiring to contest the lien claimed thereon for taxes, interest, or any part thereof, shall appear in said Court, and file with the clerk thereof their objections thereto, on or before the first day of the term of this Court above mentioned, and that in default thereof the same will be taken as confessed and a judgment will be taken and entered as prayed for in said complaint. And it is further ordered that in pursuance of said judgment the lands described in said complaint for which a judgment of sale shall be made, will be sold for the several taxes, interest and charges thereon as determined by said judgment, on the first Tuesday of May following, beginning at 10 o'clock a.m. on said day, or on the day or days subsequent thereto as may be necessary to complete the sale of said lands and of each and every part thereof, at the office of the County Treasurer, or at such convenient place as shall be selected by him at the county seat of the County of Crawford State of Michigan, and the sale then and there made will be a public sale, and each parcel described in the judgment shall be separately exposed and sold for the total taxes, interest and charges, and the sale shall be made to the person paying the full amount charged against each parcel, and accepting a copy of the deed of the land and the fee simple interest therein, or if no person will pay the taxes and charges and take a conveyance of less than the fee simple interest in the whole parcel shall be offered and sold, if any parcel of land cannot be sold for taxes, interest and charges, such parcel shall be passed over on succeeding day, and shall, on the succeeding day, or before the close of the sale, be reoffered, and if on the second offering, or during such sale, the same cannot be sold for the amount aforesaid, the County Treasurer shall bid off the same in the name of the State.

Witness the Hon. William A. Porter, Circuit Judge, and the seal of said Circuit Court of Crawford County this 10th day of February A.D. 1983.

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Thurs., March 17, 1983

A political cartoon titled "THERE GOES THE NEIGHBORHOOD" in large, bold, sans-serif capital letters at the top. The scene is set outdoors. On the left, a man in a suit and hat stands on a rocky outcrop, pointing his right hand towards the right. Behind him, a crowd of people is visible, including a woman in a hat and a man in a suit. In the foreground, a large, fluffy sheep is being led by a man in a suit. To the right, a large, leafy tree stands on a patch of ground. The words "ARGENTINA'S A-BOMB" are written across the middle of the tree's canopy. The background is a simple horizon line. The entire cartoon is enclosed in a thin black rectangular border.

Important Notice Relative To Delinquent Taxes

BECAUSE THE LIST OF DELINQUENT TAX LANDS FOR TAX SALE ADVERTISING MUST NECESSARILY BE MADE UP SEVERAL MONTHS AHEAD OF TIME IN ORDER TO GET IT IN THE PRINTER'S HANDS, SEVERAL DESCRIPTIONS ARE LISTED IN THE CRAWFORD COUNTY LIST ON WHICH TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID.

**IF YOUR TAXES HAVE
BEEN PAID YOUR LAND
CANNOT BE SOLD IN
THE MAY SPRING TAX SALE**

IF YOU HAVE NOT PAID YOUR TAXES AND YOUR LAND IS LISTED FOR SALE, YOU MUST PAY

WE SHALL BE GLAD TO ANSWER ANY OTHER QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE ABOUT THE TAX SALE HERE AT THE TREASURER'S OFFICE.

Joseph W. Wakeley
CRAWFORD COUNTY TREASURER

Huron Pines RC&D Hold Annual Meeting

Fifty people, representing eight counties, gathered in Grayling for the annual meeting of the Huron Pines Resource Conservation and Development Council, including 106th District Rep. John Pridnia (R-Harrisville), who pledged his willingness to assist the organization in Lansing.

Raymond Winter of Gaylord was elected chairman; Richard Karsen of Lincoln, vice-chairman; and Jack Stegall of Atlanta, secretary-treasurer.

The group provides local leadership to develop and carry out plans for wise use of the area's natural resources, and is sponsored by the Boards of Commissioners and the Soil Conservation Districts in the eight counties: Alcona, Alpena, Cheboygan, Crawford, Montmorency, Oscoda, Otsego, and Presque Isle.

A wrap-up report on the completion of Northeast Michigan's Prime Forestland Identification Project was presented by Mike Mang, of the Dept. of Natural Resources. Mang, who was project coordinator of the two-year-long study, gave the completed manuals, with large fold-out maps, to county representatives.

With the working credo that "Northeast Michigan's forests are important to our economy and living standards through their substantial timber and soil and water conservation," and data showing that the forest resource base is dwindling, the project was established through the efforts of Huron Pines RC & D and the Northeast Michigan Council of Governments. By a cooperative agreement between the US Forest Service, Michigan Dept. of Natural Resources and NEMCOG, the project began in October 1980 and was completed in September 1982.

The goal of the project was to identify, using existing

Chimera Reviews "Dark Shadows"

The second issue of "Chimera", Michigan's creative arts magazine, is now available. This issue is a special winter horror issue featuring tales of the bizarre and supernatural. Keeping with the horror theme, the staff article reviews the 1960's famed gothic horror soap opera, "Dark Shadows" and its recent nationwide revival. This review will re-examine the major characters and plot-lines of the series' five-year run. Also "Chimera #2" will take a look at "Dark Shadows" fandom whose unending line of sold-by-mail fan publications and annual conventions - the Shadow-Cons, have making waves around the nation and, according to one fan publication editor, especially in Hollywood!

In every issue, "Chimera" contains a variety of poetry, fiction, articles, artwork and comic strips of varying themes (occasionally there is a uni-theme issue such as this second issue). Anyone can submit their creative works for publication in "Chimera" as the magazine is devoted to the amateur writer and artist. "Chimera" is published quarterly by the Literary and Movie-making Club of Crawford and Roscommon Counties, a non-profit organization made up of creative high school students. "Chimera" is sold by book stores, comic shops, and drug stores in Traverse City, Petoskey, Gaylord, Grayling, Charlevoix and Houghton Lake, and available by mail to other Michigan residents. It is sold at \$1.50 per issue (plus fifty cents postage if sold by mail).

For more information send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to: "Chimera", Route 2, Box 2772, Grayling, MI 49738.

"Chimera" is available at John's Hallmark in Grayling.

Protect Furniture
Low humidity causes wood-furniture to dry and crack. If you do not have a humidifier, put a saturated sponge in a bowl and place them inside the cupboard or chest to protect it.

soils and forest productivity information and major input from local resource professionals, the prime forestlands in the eight county area and to suggest methods for retaining those prime forestlands.

Manuals for each county, complete with their fold-out maps, will be available at local libraries for public use. They discuss methods that can be used to encourage the retention and productive use of the county's valuable forestlands. "The maps provide meaningful land capability information which should prove extremely useful to townships, counties, and forestland owners and managers," Mang said.

C. Merritt Clark, chairman of the steering committee, presented awards to Mike Mang, Forrest Rhoads, Bob Ojala, Dave Lintner, to the DNR Forestry Division, to NEMCOG, and to the US Forest Service for their support in completing the project.

Dr. John Gunter, from Michigan State University, explained ways of avoiding, not evading, federal income taxes as they relate to the timber business. "The tax situation is complex and is not going to get any simpler," he emphasized. Landowners and businesses need to know tax laws and requirements and they must keep track of expenses, he concluded.

Legal Notice
STATE OF MICHIGAN
In the Circuit Court for
The County of Antrim
File No. 82-2947-CH
Empire National Bank of
Traverse City, a national
banking association,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Chain-O-Lakes Marine, Inc.,
a Michigan corporation,
Edward A. Bryant and Janet
Marie Guffen Bryant,
Defendants.

**NOTICE OF SALE
OF REAL ESTATE
ON FORECLOSURE**

Public notice is hereby given that pursuant to a judgment of foreclosure and an order of sale entered by the Circuit Court for the County of Antrim, State of Michigan, on the 17th day of January, 1983 in favor of Empire National Bank of Traverse City, Plaintiff, and against Chain-O-Lakes Marine, Inc., a Michigan corporation, Edward A. Bryant and Janet Marie Guffen Bryant, Defendants, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder at a public auction to be held at the Antrim County Courthouse on the 14th day of April, 1983, at 10:00 a.m., the following described real estate:

That part of Government Lot 6, Section 21, Town 29 North, Range 9 West, described as being a parcel of land bounded on the East by the West boundary of U.S. Highway 31 right-of-way; on the South by the North boundary of River Street; on the West by the East boundary of Bridge Street; on the North by the South bank of Elk River; also known as "Chain-O-Lakes Marine Basin." Elk Rapids Township, Antrim County, Michigan.

PARCEL 1: Commencing 10 rods East of the Southeast corner of Michigan State Highway Park in Section 29, Town 25 North, Range 3 West; thence 16 rods South; thence 10 rods East; thence 16 rods North; thence 10 rods West to the Place of Beginning. Being part of the South ½ of the North ½ of the Southeast ¼ of Section 29, Town 25 North, Range 3 West.

PARCEL 2: A part of the North ½ of the Northeast ¼ of the Southeast ¼ of Section 29, Town 25 North, Range 3 West; Beginning at the Northwest corner of said tract, and running thence North 89° 59' East on ¼ line, 165 feet; thence South 0° 50' West, 331.7 feet to North line of Highway M-76; thence North 66° 47' West along same 178.4 feet to 1/8 line; thence North 0° 50' East on same 261.8 feet to POB. Township of Beaver Creek, Crawford County, Michigan.

Lot 13 of H. H. Noble's Addition to the Village of Elk Rapids, Michigan, as recorded in Liber 1 (B) of Fias, page 131 in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Antrim County, also.

The South ½ of the former Noble Street lying North of Lot 13 of H. H. Noble's Addition to the Village of Elk Rapids, according to the recorded Plat thereof.

Redemption period expires six months from the date of sale.
Elwin Wilcox
Antrim County Sheriff
Coulter, Cunningham
Davison & Reed
By: Thomas R. Alward
413 S. Union,
P.O. Box 878
Traverse City, MI 49684
(616) 946-6760
3-10-17-24-31-7

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Richard A. Ferguson, a single man of Route No. 2 Box 2481, Grayling, Michigan 49738, Mortgages, to the Grayling State Bank, A Michigan Corporation of Grayling, Michigan 49738, Mortgage dated January 11, 1978 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan on the 12th day of January, 1978, and in Liber 166 of Crawford County Register on Page 147 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this action for principal, interest, and real estate taxes paid by mortgagee the sum of Nine Thousand Four Hundred Fifty-Seven Dollars and 99/100, (\$9,457.99).

And no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof, Now therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan is such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 1st day of June, 1983, at 10:00 O'clock A.M. said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Crawford County Building, in the City of Grayling, Michigan (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held), of the premises described in said Mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said Mortgage, with the interest thereof at 9 1/2% per annum, and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including real estate taxes which may be paid by the undersigned necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

Said premises are described as follows: State of Michigan, County of Crawford, in the Township of Grayling, to wit:

The West ½ of the East ½ of the East ½ of the Northwest ¼ of the Northwest ¼ of Section 15, T26N, R3W.
Dated March 2, 1983.

Emil L. Kraus,
Attorney for Mortgagee
228 Michigan Avenue
Grayling, Michigan 49738
The Grayling State Bank,
Mortgagee

-10-17-24-31-

Legal Notice MORTGAGE SALE

DEFAULT having been made on the part of the mortgagors in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage given by Gary L. Smith and Barbara J. Smith, husband and wife, to First Savings and Loan Association of Saginaw, Michigan, now known as Great Lakes Federal Savings and Loan Association, bearing date the 26th day of September, 1977 as recorded on the 28th day of September, 1977, in Liber 163, Page 359, Crawford County Records.

BECAUSE of said default, said association by virtue of the option given in said mortgage, has heretofore, and does now, declare the entire principal sum secured to be paid by said mortgage to be due and payable, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid thereon the aggregate sum of \$29,941.38 Dollars and, as of the date of the sale, the sum of not less than \$30,199.83 Dollars plus costs of the sale and authorized disbursements, and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law to recover said sum, the debt remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, which has become operative by reason of said default and the statutes in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises described therein sold at public auction to the highest bidder, by the Sheriff of said County, on the 14th day of April, 1983, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, Michigan; said Courthouse being the place of holding the Circuit Court for said County, which premises are situated and being in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan and described as follows:

Lots 1 and 2, Block 2, Karen Woods Subdivision.
The period of redemption is six months.

Dated: February 28, 1983
Great Lakes Federal Savings and Loan Association, Mortgagee
Lamson Humphreys, P.C.
Attorney for Mortgagee
502 United Federal Savings Building
Saginaw, MI 48607
-10-17-24-31-

Farewell to OPEC

The emergency meeting of OPEC ministers which ended inconclusively in Geneva is another signal that the oil cartel is losing control over world fuel prices. The cartel is disintegrating, says an energy economist, and the result could mean stabilized and perhaps even decreased oil prices.

Business Directory

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Vikes Lose District Final in Last 8 Seconds

by Jon Thompson

The district finals at Roscommon was another one of those games where the team on the short end of the score didn't deserve to be called a loser.

Houghton Lake's Jim Snell hit a 10-foot jumper with eight seconds to put his team ahead for good at 69-67 and three free throws at the end gave the Bobcats a 72-67 win over Grayling.

But Grayling, playing with one senior, four juniors, and two sophomores, had one of its best performances of the year as a unit — earmarking next year's returning squad with high hopes.

Unfortunately for the Vikes, they ran into Houghton Lake on a night they played their best ball of the year, according to Bobcat head coach Mike Benz.

"It was a fun game to watch and coach," Viking head coach Warren "Butch" Hayes said. "It was a very streaky game and it came down to who was hot at end."

It turned out Grayling wasn't hitting at the end going scoreless for almost three minutes. Before then the game was one torrid rush after another by each team.

Houghton Lake was hot first from the outside racing to an 18-11 first quarter lead.

Mike Hickey put Grayling on the board to start the game with a jumper from

the top of the key. Paul Hamlin connected next on a corner shot, one of several he filled the bucket with enroute to a team-leading 19 points.

Wayne Ross ignited Grayling next with two blocks on Houghton Lake's two Big 6'4" players and the Vikings made a run with Hamlin hitting a free throw, Ross hitting two free throws, and Mick Lovely putting in an offensive rebound. Hickey added two more free throws to end the first period scoring.

Houghton Lake kept scoring with good offensive rebounding but Grayling countered with Hickey from the top for two, Ryan Morford on a lay-up, and Morford again from the corner.

Ross connected on two free throws and Morford hit a shot taking a good lead pass from Lovely to put Grayling ahead 23-22 for the first time in the game.

Ross put in the next four points for Grayling and Jim Stewart stole the pass and sped in for a nice left-handed lay-up for a 29-26 lead. The Bobcats came on strong to take a 33-29 lead on outside shooting by Snell, who finished with 25 points. Ross put in four more points grabbing offensive rebounds and Hamlin nailed a corner shot to tie the game before the halftime buzzer.

In the third period, Ross

again put on a blocking show stopping two hooks by Troy Housenga and Hamlin began heating up the nets from the corner. He hit three corner shots and Stewart and Morford hit outside shots as well but Grayling couldn't pull away as Houghton Lake came back. When the Vikings missed on three straight trips downcourt, Houghton Lake took a 50-46 lead with 2:55 left in the quarter.

Morford hit from the top again and Hamlin filled the nets for four more points but the Bobcats hit a shot with two seconds left to keep a 56-52 lead.

Things continued Houghton Lake's way as they built a seven point lead when a rebound rolled off a Viking's back and a Bobcat put in an underhanded lay-up.

Hamlin hit a crucial bucket next trip down to bring Grayling back and Hickey added a jump shot and Stewart tipped in a bucket. Two free throws by Jon Nicholas and one by Ross tied the ballgame.

A Viking fast break started by Ross and Hickey led to Morford being fouled and hitting two shots for the lead. Stewart kept an offensive rebound alive and Ross grabbed it and put in his 16th point at the 3:24 mark for a four-point Grayling lead.

Hamlin connected on

another bucket to maintain a four-point lead with about three minutes left but that was the last bucket Grayling scored.

Grayling held the four-point lead until 1:28 when Houghton Lake scored. Grayling turned the ball over and the Bobcats tied the game 67-67 with a minute left. The Vikings brought the ball down and ran off some time until Morford fired a six-foot shot and missed. Hamlin went up with two Houghton Lake players and tried a tip-in but missed.

Snell hit his shot with eight seconds left and two Vikings ran into each other going for a pass when Grayling came down to tie. Houghton Lake finished the game with three free throws on a two shot foul and technical on Grayling.

Hayes said Ross played a fine game both offensively and defensively.

"He's really matured the last couple of games, taking charge and looking to score."

Hayes said Hamlin had an excellent offensive game keeping the Vikings in the contest with his scoring. Hayes also commended Hickey for outstanding defensive play. Senior guard Ryan Morford finished with 12 points and was Grayling's leading scorer this year.

Grayling reached the finals by stopping Whitte-

more-Prentiss 55-54 on a last minute charge. Grayling took the lead for the first time in the second half with 24 seconds left as Ross stole an inbound pass under his own bucket and put it in for two points. Grayling pressed

Whittemore in the last minute coming up with key steals to pull out the victory.

Ross led all Vikings with 15 points and 10 rebounds. Stewart hit for 12, Morford 10, Hamlin 7, Hickey 6, Lovely 3, and Nicholas 2.



HIGH SCORER—Paul Hamlin poured in 19 points in the District finals - his high game of the season.

Bowling Leagues

PIONEER LEAGUE	
1. Millikin Construction.....	27
2. Northern National Bank.....	26 1/2
3. Laura's Bath Shoppe.....	24
4. Corneli Agency.....	23
5. Dawson.....	23
6. Terry's 76.....	20
7. Womany's Upstairs.....	19
8. Avalanche.....	14 1/2

High Game: B. Pryor 216, N. Fraser 215, N. Steffen 206.

High Series: B. Worden 524, N. Fraser 523, J. Arwood 516.

NORTHWOOD LEAGUE	
1. Legion Rollers.....	28
2. Bubble's Belle's.....	26 1/2
3. Red Barn.....	25
4. Comfort Center.....	18
5. Laurines.....	17 1/2
6. D.J. Electronics.....	16
7. Penrods.....	16
8. Helsel's Firewood.....	13

High Game: K. Pyle 223, G. Jones 184, J. Cragg 179.

High Series: J. Cragg 514, K. Pyle 481, J. Hinds 460.

AMERICAN 2nd DIV.	
1. Skip's.....	29
2. Stewart Sandwiches.....	24
3. ProMart.....	21
4. Wilcox Carpet.....	21
5. Ken's TV.....	20
6. American Legion.....	16 1/2
7. Schafer's Bakeries.....	14 1/2
8. Sawmill.....	14

High Series: T. Ockerman 610, L. Davis 599, T. Grant 546.

High Game: L. Davis 235, R. Reed 225, T. Ockerman 223.

SENIOR CITIZENS	
1. ProMart.....	65
2. Mac's Drugs.....	56 1/2
3. Corneli Ins.....	54
4. Great Lakes Fed.....	52 1/2
5. Northern National.....	51
6. M. B. Dorans.....	45
7. R. & H Sports.....	39
8. Larry & Joan's.....	37

High Series: D. Farner 542, B. Burrick 519, B. Bellanger 504.

High Game: L. Demorest 193, B. Burrick 193, D. Farner 187, R. Zalac 185.

High Series: D. Burrick 466, D. Bellanger 450, B. Cline 434.

High Game: D. Bellanger 162, M. LaMotte 159, D. Burrick 159, B. Cline 157.

NATIONAL 1st DIV.	
1. Eagles 3465.....	19
2. Terry's Union 78.....	17
3. Legion Lounge.....	16
4. Chicken Charlies.....	16
5. Carlisle Paddles.....	15
6. Grayling Insurance.....	14
7. Dan & Maggie's.....	13
8. Jack Millikin Inc.....	10

High Game: R. Cline 236 & 214, H. Baker 202.

High Series: R. Cline 613, H. Baker 547, S. Sanderson 521.

SUNDAY NIGHT MIXED DOUBLES

1. Fuelgas.....	19
2. Everything Electronic.....	14
3. Down River True Value.....	14
4. Holiday Mart.....	14
5. A.J.D. Forest Products.....	13
6. Super Saver.....	12
7. Carlisle Paddles.....	12
8. Fancy Step Shoes.....	11

High Game: B. Grant 180, R. Leas 170, K. Mosher 169.

High Series: B. Grant 480, K. Mosher 428, S. Phillips 410.

High Game: M. Finkbeiner 213, D. Ray 191, R. Hakocxy 186.

High Series: M. Finkbeiner 511, R. Kea 510, T. Grant 490.

WEEK OF 3/6/83

High Game: B. Grant 187, L. Lob-singer 171, B. Grant 162.

High Series: B. Grant 507, L. Lob-singer 455, R. Leas 444.

High Game: W. Fedewa 225, R. Lob-singer 214, D. Ray 202.

High Series: D. Ray 588, R. Lob-singer 547, G. McLaughlin 515.

THURS. MORNING COFFEE L.

1. P&D, D&M, D&B, Tires Inc.....

2. Spikes Keg O Nails.....

3. Down River Pines.....

4. Milltown Traders.....

5. Weyerhaeuser.....

6. Grayling Beauty Supply.....

7. Old Ausable Sport Shop.....

8. Legion Lanes.....

High Game: D. Callahan 197, D. Pot-

terff 171, T. Kibbe 170.
High Series: D. Callahan 496, D. Pot-
terff 487, R. Leas 447.
High Game: D. Potteroff 217, L. Kib-
be 189, S. Pelton 182.
High Series: D. Potteroff 524, L. Kib-
be 486, R. Leas 481.

TRIANGLE MEN'S

1. Parsons.....	99
2. Century 21.....	93 1/2
3. Milltown Party Store.....	82
4. Jack the Tinner.....	81 1/2
5. Cala's Potato.....	75
6. Team No. 8.....	72
7. Glen's Mt.....	68
8. Team No. 5.....	63

High Game: Jake Helsel 222, D. Johnson 198, C. Johnson 193.

High Series: Jake Helsel 565, Jerry Helsel 559, D. Johnson 558.

NITEOWL MIXED DOUBLES

1. R & H Sports.....	24 1/2
2. Helsel Firewood.....	24
3. Essence of Beauty.....	24
4. North Country Lodge.....	24
5. Northern Pines.....	22 1/2
6. CC Sheriff Res.....	22
7. Panda Bears.....	22

High Series: V. Hatfield 495, J. Hinds 484, N. Steffen 475.

High Game: V. Hatfield 191, B. Miller 184, B. Pryor 181.

High Series: R. Helsel 560, R. Laundre 550, J. Sampsel 546.

High Game: H. Glasslee 239, R. Helsel 232, J. Sampsel 205.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON FUN L.

1. Spikes Keg O' Nails.....	33 1/2
2. Video Room.....	25
3. Legion Lanes.....	22 1/2
4. D.J. Electronics.....	20
5. NNB.....	20
6. AJD.....	15
7. Grayling 4-H.....	12
8. Holiday Inn.....	12

High Series: T. Hough 222, T. DiPoulo 216, S. Haas 188.

High Game: T. Hough 124, T. DiPoulo 121, L. Doten 105.

High Series: C. Fedewa 192, L. Wisniewski 186, C. Knight 183.

High Game: C. Fedewa 101, J. Hayes 97, C. Knight & L. Wisniewski 88.

EARLY BIRDS

1. Moore's Automotive.....	30 1/2
2. Legion Lanes.....	27
3. Little Caesars.....	21 1/2
4. Mac's Drugs.....	20
5. Comfort Center.....	20
6. Down River True Value.....	16
7. Old Ausable Sporting Goods.....	14
8. Mickey Perez CPA.....	11

High Series: R. Grant 515, Larry Davis 500, R. Priestap 491.

High Game: R. Grant 203, R. Priestap 195, D. Mansfield 186.

High Series: M. Peres 178, S. Brooks 172, A. Small 167.

High Game: K. Worden 441, A. Small 458, S. Brooks 442.

LITTLE RASCALS

1. Moore's Automotive.....	17
2. Pete the Greek.....	17
3. DuBois Lumber.....	15 1/2
4. Millikin Inc.....	14
5. Mosher 545.....	13 1/2
6. Charles Angela.....	12 1/2
7. M. Perez CPA.....	11
8. Ausable Motel.....	7 1/2

High Series: M. Perez 230, D. Phelps 125, S. Hinds 122.

High Game: M. Perez 223, C. Grigby 223.

High Game: O.J. Kurk 181, B. Jan-sma 126, E. Bonamie 118.

High Series: O.J. Kurk 243, B. Jan-sma 227, B. Day 224.

Suds

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Grayling, the Red Barn, at the M-93 and W-72 intersection, the Arrowhead Inn, on the Bus. loop south of Grayling, Chief Shoppenag's Hotel, in downtown Grayling, the Sawmill, in downtown Grayling, the Hard Times Saloon, on East-72, and the Frederic Inn, in Fredric, all picked Millers or Millers Lite as their best selling beer.

Budweiser was picked the most popular beer at the American Legion, on the business loop in Grayling, M. B. Doran's, on the business loop south of Grayling, and Scheys Country House, along the Industrial Park Drive on S. Millikin Rd. Spikes, on the business loop near downtown Grayling, and Lovells Riverside Tavern, in Lovells, both said it was a tie between Millers and Bud.

Along with usual favorites to be served St. Patrick's Day, all 12 bars connected said green beer would be available for any Irish or other persons celebrating the wearing of the green.

Canoe

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set sights on raising enough money to set the prize money at \$10,000. Top finishers will collect a larger share of the prize money this year as another attempt to attract the best racers.

One advantage of forming the new group has been an opportunity to apply for a Say Yes to Michigan grant. Randy Thompson has written an application asking for \$3000 to help the group promote the race along with the Milltown Festival and Paul Bunyan Festival in Oscoda.

Women Bowlers

The Grayling Women's Bowling Association will hold their spring meeting Tuesday, March 22, 1983 at 8:00 p.m. in the Legion Bingo Room.

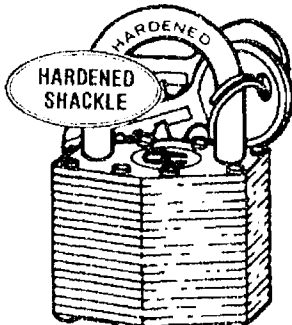
The main items on the agenda will be the election of officers for next year, a review of the current by-laws and the distribution of prize money for the City Tournament winners. Mark that calendar and plan to attend this Tuesday.

Sandi Hoffman
Association Sec'y.

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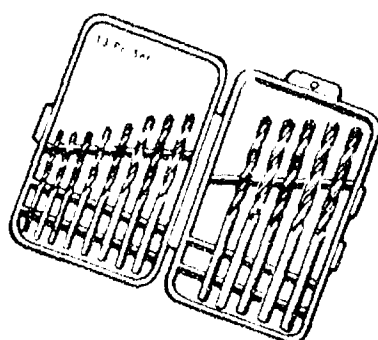
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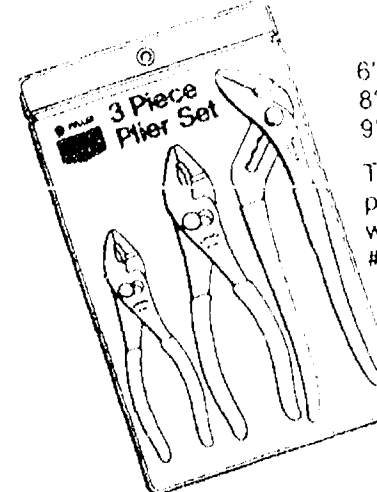
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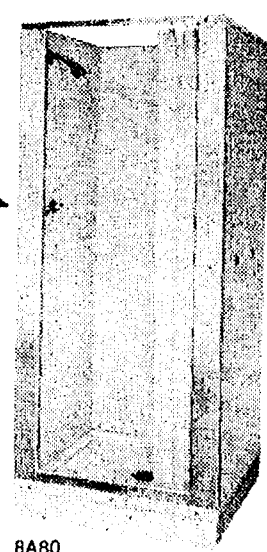
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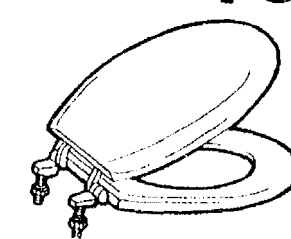


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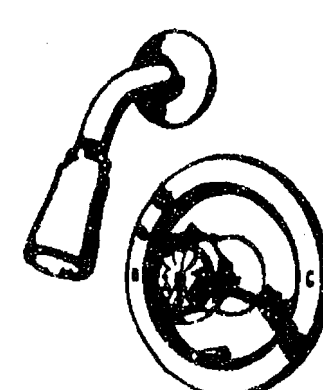
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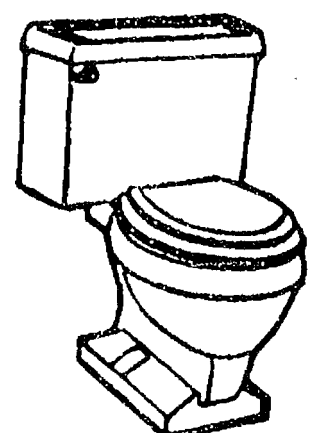
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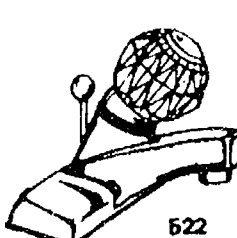
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